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Driving Schools—Act to regulate	136 (Lapsed)				
Education Act, 1974—Act to amend	196	227	233	261
Environmental Protection Act, 1971—Act to amend	27	85	231	238	261

*Recorded Vote

**Order for Third Reading discharged (on division) and referred back to Committee of the Whole House, 149.

BILLS, PUBLIC (GOVERNMENT):

BILLS, PUBLIC (GOVERNMENT)						
Bill No.	1st Reading	2nd Reading	Committee	and Passed	Royal Assent	
Evidence Act—Act to amend	103	124	. . . . .	124	127
Executive Council Act—Act to amend	133	139	139	144	154	
Financial Administration Act—Act to amend	47	82	. . . . .	82	91
Fires Extinguishment Act—Act to repeal	45	94	. . . . .	94	127
Fire Guardians Act—Act to repeal	45	94	. . . . .	94	127
Gasoline Tax Act, 1973—Act to amend	47	66*	. . . . .	67	70
Gift Tax Act, 1972—Act to repeal	47	81*	. . . . .	81*	90
Handicapped Persons—Act to provide for Rights of	211 (Lapsed)					
Highway Traffic Act—Act to amend	85	114	114, 137	137	153	
—Act to amend	203	227	228	234	262	
Hunter Damage Compensation Act—Act to amend	75	134	. . . . .	134	153
Income Tax Act—Act to amend	47	61	. . . . .	61	70
Income Tax Discounters Act, 1977—Act to repeal	131	139	. . . . .	139	154
Interprovincial Subpoenas—Act to provide for the Enforcement of	203	228	. . . . .	234	262
Judicature Act—Act to amend	103	124	134	135	154	
Labour Relations Act—Act to amend	27	61	103	104	127	
—Act to amend	238	252	252	256	262	
Land Titles Act—Act to amend	166	223	228	233	261	
Land Transfer Tax Act, 1974—Act to amend	47	67	76, 78	78	91	
Legislative Assembly Act—Act to amend	133	139	139	143	154	
Libel and Slander Act—Act to amend	235 (Lapsed)					
Line Fences Act—Act to revise	25	94	118	126	127	
Local Improvement Act—Act to amend	45	131	131	131	153	
—Act to amend	166	218	. . . . .	223	225
Local Roads Boards Act—Act to amend	25	45	. . . . .	45	52
Local Service Boards—Act to provide for the Establishment of	117	200	200, 217	217	225	
Metropolitan Police Force Complaints Project Act, 1979	238 (Lapsed)					
Middlesex—Act respecting the County of	18	28	***	32	33	

Midland—Act respecting the Composition of the Council of the Town of	174	196	248	.....	251	262
Milk Act—Act to amend	7	19	29	***	32	33
Mining Tax Act, 1972—Act to amend	52	47	122*	.....	123	127
Ministry of Colleges and Universities and the Ministry of Education—Act to amalgamate	19	25	63	254 (Not reported)		
Ministry of Consumer and Commercial Relations Act—Act to amend	22	25	88	.....	88	90
Ministry of Industry and Tourism Act, 1972—Act to amend	41	40	61	.....	61	70
Ministry of Transportation and Communications Act, 1971—Act to amend	13	25	45	.....	45	52
Motor Vehicle Fuel Tax Act—Act to amend	54	47	62*	76, 78	78	91
Municipal Act—Act to amend	103	102	151	152	152	153
—Act to amend	115	107	115	115	115	128
—Act to amend	173	196	227	239, 248	251	262
Municipal Franchises Act—Act to amend	146	166	218	.....	223	225
Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto Act—Act to amend	104	103	152	152	152	154
—Act to amend	153	168 (Lapsed)				
—Act to amend	172	196	218	.....	223	225
Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto for the development of improved methods of processing certain Civil Actions—Act for the establishment and conduct of a Project in (See <i>Provincial Court (Civil Division) Project Act, 1979</i>)						
Occupiers' Liability—Act respecting	202	238	253	Disposition of, 255		
Ontario Heritage Act, 1974—Act to amend	71	64	108	.....	108	127
Ontario Highway Transport Board Act—Act to amend	88	84	114	.....	114	127
Ontario Municipal Employees Retirement System Act—Act to amend	31	32	85	.....	86	90
Ontario Municipal Improvement Corporation Act—Act to amend	171	196	228	.....	234	262
Ontario Unconditional Grants Act, 1975—Act to amend	18	25	45	.....	46	53
—Act to amend	194	232	239	239	251	262
Oxford Act, 1974—Act to amend County of	117	107	152	.....	152	154
Pesticides Act, 1973—Act to amend	86	83	170	170	170	199
Pits and Quarries Control Act, 1971—Act to revise	127	125	252	Disposition of, 255		
Planning Act—Act to amend	96	87	114	139	143	153
Point Edward—Act respecting the Village of	131	130	150	.....	151	154
Police Act—Act to amend	135	133	139	.....	139	154
Powers of Attorney Act, 1979	179	203	228	229	234	262
Prearranged Funeral Services Act—Act to amend	73	70	88	.....	88	91
Private Investigators and Security Guards Act—Act to revise	84	82 (Lapsed)				
Provincial Court (Civil Division) Project Act, 1979	113	103	134	134	135	154
Provincial Courts Act—Act to amend	75	14	14	16, 29	29	34

*Recorded Vote

***Order for Committee of the Whole House discharged, 31.

BILLS, PUBLIC (GOVERNMENT):

BILLS, PUBLIC (GOVERNMENT)	Bill No.	1st Reading	2nd Reading	Committee	3rd Reading and		Royal Assent
					Passed	Assent	
Provincial Offences—Act to establish a Code of Procedure for	74	14	14	16, 22, 29	29	34	
Public Accountancy Act—Act to amend	108	103	124	.....	124	127	
Public Commercial Vehicles Act—Act to amend	89	85	136	137	137	153	
—Act to amend	161	189	227	228	233	261	
Public Transportation and Highway Improvement Act—Act to amend	99	100	114	137	137	153	
Public Utilities Act—Act to amend	101	101	151	.....	152	153	
Quieting Titles Act—Act to amend	1	13 (Lapsed)					
Railways Act—Act to amend	92	87	114	.....	114	127	
Raising of Money on the Credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund—Act to authorize the	50	47	82	.....	82	90	
Regional Municipalities—Act to amend certain Acts respecting	114	106 (Order for Second Reading discharged, 168)					
—Act to amend certain Acts respecting	152	168	171	171	171	199	
Regional Municipality of Durham—Act to provide for Municipal Hydro-Electric Services in The	123	117	137	.....	137	154	
Regional Municipality of Haldimand-Norfolk Act, 1973—Act to amend	95	87	151	.....	152	153	
Regional Municipality of Halton—Act to provide for Municipal Hydro-Electric Service in The	119	110	137	137	138	154	
Regional Municipality of Hamilton-Wentworth Act, 1973—Act to amend	154	170	249	249	251	261	
Regional Municipality of Niagara—Act to provide for Municipal Hydro-Electric Service in The	29	32	69	103	104	127	
Regional Municipality of Peel Act, 1973—Act to amend	158	179 (Order for Second Reading discharged, 233)					
—Act to amend	195	232	239	.....	251	262	
Regional Municipality of York Act—Act to amend	206	250 (Lapsed)					
Registry Act—Act to amend	150	166	223	228	233	261	
Regulations—Act to provide for the Consolidation and Revision of	182	203	228	.....	234	262	
Religious Organizations—Act to provide for the holding of Land by	93	87	108	109, 123	124	127	
Residential Premises Rent Review Act, 1975 (2nd Session)—Act to amend	20	25	29	.....	29	34	
—Act to amend	142	141	150	.....	151	154	
Residential Tenancies—Act to reform the Law respecting	163	14	14	135, 140, 143	144*	154	
Retail Sales Tax Act—Act to amend	58	47	69	76, 78	78	91	
Securities Act, 1978—Act to amend	132	130 (Order for Second Reading discharged, 170)					
—Act to amend	156	170	218	219	223	225	

Sheridan Park Corporation Act—Act to repeal	42	40	69	.....	69	70
Small Business Development Corporations—Act respecting	49	47	85	89	89	90
Statute Labour Act—Act to amend	14	25	45	.....	45	52
Statutes—Act to provide for the Consolidation and Revision of	181	203	228	.....	234	262
Succession Duty Act—Act to repeal	47	46*	77*	.....	78	90
Supply Act, 1979	40	40	40	.....	40	53
Supply Act, 1979	212	261	261	.....	261	263
Theatres Act—Act to amend	72	70	88	.....	88	91
Tobacco Tax Act—Act to amend	56	47	61	.....	61	70
Trees Act—Act to amend	8	19	29	123, 134	135	153
Trespass to Property—Act to protect against	203	238	253	Disposition of, 255		
Unified Family Court Act, 1976—Act to amend	180	203	227	239	251	262
Vacant Land Cultivation Act—Act to repeal	44	45	94	.....	94	127
Veterinarians Act—Act to amend	80	75	134	.....	134	153
Workmen's Compensation Act—Act to amend	209	256	259	259	259	262
York Municipal Hydro-Electric Service Act, 1978—Act to amend	30	32	69	.....	69	70

	Bill No.	1st Reading	2nd Reading	Committee	3rd Reading and Passed	Royal Assent
Agricultural Land in Ontario—Act to provide for Disclosure of Non-Resident Investment in	107	103				
Agricultural Land in Ontario—Act to provide for the Registration of Non-Resident Ownership of	166	189				
Assessment Act—Act to amend	183	203				
Basic Residential Power Rate Applicable to the Essential Energy Needs of Residential Households in Ontario—Act to provide for a	192	218				
Children in Ontario—Act to declare the Rights of	102	101	192 (Blocked)			
Collection Agencies Act—Act to amend	189	216				
Compensation for Victims of Crime Act, 1971—Act to amend	38	39				

*Recorded Vote

BILLS, PUBLIC (PRIVATE MEMBERS'):

	Bill No.	1st Reading	2nd Reading	Committee	3rd Reading and Passed	Royal Assent
BILLS, PUBLIC (PRIVATE MEMBERS')						
Consumer Protection Act—Act to amend	26	27				
—Act to amend	200	236				
Consumer Reporting Act, 1973—Act to amend	190	216				
Crown Employees Collective Bargaining Act, 1972—Act to amend	196	232				
Cults and Mind Development Groups—Act to monitor and regulate the activities of	191	218				
Education Act, 1974—Act to amend	79	64				
—Act to amend	138	133				
—Act to amend	151	166				
—Act to amend	187	209	243 (Blocked)			
Election Act—Act to amend	65	58				
—Act to amend	143	141				
—Act to amend	79	74				
Election Public Opinion Polls—Act respecting						
Emergency Medical and First Aid Services—Act to relieve Persons from Liability in respect of voluntary	10	20				
Employment Standards Act, 1974—Act to amend	3	18				
—Act to amend	98	90	87, 88 Disposition of, 255			
—Act to amend	126	122	117 (Blocked)			
—Act to amend	62	52	158 (Blocked)			
—Act to amend	36	38				
Employment Standards Act, 1974—Act to declare the Application of certain Parts of The Environmental Rights in Ontario—Act respecting	185	209	243 (Blocked)			
Family Benefits Act—Act to amend	11	22	49 (Blocked)			
Family Law Reform Act, 1978—Act to amend	159	182	211	228	233	261
Farm Machinery and Equipment in Ontario—Act respecting the Sale of	130	125				
Farm Products Marketing Act—Act to amend	208	256				
Fiscal Planning in the Government of Ontario—Act to provide for	145	163	183 (Blocked)			
Funeral Services Act, 1976—Act to amend	60	52	71* (Lost)			
Gas Services in Metropolitan Toronto—Act respecting Procedure for the Extension of Government of Ontario and Government-supported Institutions—Act respecting the Purchase of Goods and Services by the	121	114				
	83	75	93 (Blocked)			

Haldimand Board of Education and Teachers Dispute—Act respecting	91	85	
Health Insurance Act, 1972—Act to amend	168	192	221* (Lost)
—Act to amend	169	192	
—Act to amend	193	219	
Highway Traffic Act—Act to amend	76	70	
Homes—Act to provide Protection for the Buyers of	207	250	
Inco Limited—Act to acquire the Assets of	66	59	
Innocent Persons from Untimely Publicity—Act to protect the Reputation of	28	27	57* (Lost)
Insurance Act—Act to amend	35	38	
Insured Services under the Ontario Health Insurance Plan—Act respecting	97	87	Ruled out of Order 89 (Not Printed)
Labour Relations Act—Act to amend	6	18	
—Act to amend	37	38	
—Act to amend	186	209	
Landlord and Tenant Act—Act to amend	12	22	
Legislative Assembly Act—Act to amend	23	25	
—Act to amend	64	55	
—Act to amend	198	232	
Lifeline Act, 1979. (See <i>Basic Residential Power Rate Bill 192</i>)			
Liquor Licence Act, 1975—Act to amend	9	19	
Local Roads Boards Act—Act to amend	68	61	
Metropolitan Toronto—Act to provide a Procedure for Reviewing Citizen's Complaints concerning Police Conduct in The Municipality of	210	256	
Municipal Act—Act to amend	124	117	
—Act to amend	137	133	
Municipal Ombudsman Act, 1979	211	258	
Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto Act—Act to amend	106	103	126 (Blocked)
Non-resident Ownership of Agricultural Land in Ontario—Act to provide for the Registration of	166	189	
Non-Unionized Workers—Act respecting the Rights of	4	18	
Ontario Drug Benefit Plan—Act respecting	184	206	
Ontario Human Rights Code—Act to amend	21	25	
Ontario Pitch-In Day—Act to provide for an All	134	131	166 (Lapsed)
Ontario Water Resources Act—Act to amend	125	122	173 (Blocked)

*Recorded Vote

BILLS, PUBLIC (PRIVATE MEMBERS'):

	Bill No.	1st Reading	2nd Reading	Committee	3rd Reading and Passed	Royal Assent
BILLS, PUBLIC (PRIVATE MEMBERS')						
Pits and Quarries Control Act, 1971—Act to amend	5	18				
Political Rights for Public Servants—Act to provide	85	82				
Portable Fire Extinguishers—Act to regulate the Manufacture, Sale and Servicing of ..	27	27				
Predator Control in Ontario—Act respecting	129	125				
Programs—Act to provide for the Disclosure of Information relating to the Financial Cost and Economic Impact of Government	69	61	92 (Blocked)			
Public Accountability of Ontario Hydro—Act respecting	61	52	71 (Blocked)			
Public Health Act—Act to amend	67	61	80* (Lost)			
Public Hospitals Act—Act to amend	197	232				
Remembrance Day as a Holiday for Veterans—Act to declare	167	191				
Royal Ontario Museum Act—Act to amend	118	107				
Simcoe Day—Act respecting	63	55				
Small Business in Ontario—Act respecting	128	125				
Statutes Labour Act—Act to amend	78	74				
Uniform Retail Store Closing Hours—Act to provide for	155	170				
Workmen's Compensation Act—Act to amend	39	39				
—Act to amend	120	113				

*Recorded Vote

BILLS, PRIVATE:

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	Bill No.	1st Reading	Committee	2nd Reading	3rd Reading and Passed	Royal Assent
Assumption Church Cemetery—Act respecting	Pr29	183	196	198	199	200
Aurora, Town of—Act respecting	Pr15	117 (Lapsed)				
Borough of East York—Act respecting	Pr12	75	109	111	111	127
Cobourg, Town of—Act respecting	Pr33	226	241	251	252	262
Cookstown, Village of—Act respecting	Pr6	28	73	85	85	91
Co-operators Life Insurance Association—Act respecting	Pr24	182	196	198	199	199
Cornwall, City of—Act respecting	Pr19	158	191	198	198	199
Delila Construction Limited—Act to revive	Pr11	71	109	111	111	127
Dinorwic Metis Corporation—Act to revive	Pr17	157	177	198	198	199
Hamilton, City of—Act respecting	Pr8	122 <i>b</i>	181	198	198	199
—Act respecting	Pr10	157	181	198	198	199
—Act respecting	Pr21	177	241	251	251	262
Honing Corporation Limited—Act to revive	Pr23	182	196	198	198	199
Huron District Hospital—Act respecting the Financing of	Pr4	28 <i>a</i>	73	85	85	91
London, City of—Act respecting	Pr25	203	253	256	257	262
Massey Hall—Act respecting	Pr13	75	147	150	151	154
Montcrest School—Act to revive The January School as	Pr14	117	147	151	151	154
Niagara-on-the-Lake, Town of—Act respecting	Pr1	75	109	111	111	128
North Bay, City of—Act respecting	Pr28	203	241	251	251	262
Northumberland, County of—Act respecting	Pr7	83	177	198	198	199
Ontario Bible College and Ontario Theological Seminary—Act respecting	Pr20	157	248 (Not reported)			
Ottawa, City of—Act respecting	Pr9	117 <i>d</i>	140	150	151	154

a Committal change, 58*b* Committal change, 161*d* Committal change, 121

BILLS, PRIVATE:

BILLS, PRIVATE	Bill No.	1st Reading	Committee	2nd Reading	3rd Reading and Passed	Royal Assent
Portuguese Club of London Incorporated—Act to revive	Pr2	20	54	60	60	70
Sarnia, City of—Act respecting	Pr18	177	241	251	251	262
Sarnia Portable Equipment Rentals Limited—Act to revive	Pr31	233	241	251	252	262
Simcoe, County of—Act respecting	Pr22	177c	196	198	198	199
Smith Brothers Holdings Limited—Act to revive	Pr26	157	177	198	199	200
South Russell Holdings Limited—Act to revive	Pr30	189	235	238	238	262
Toronto, City of—Act respecting	Pr5	85	141, 249	238	251	262
Windsor, City of—Act respecting	Pr27	182	241 (Lapsed)			
Windsor Grove Cemetery—Act respecting The Trustees of	Pr16	117	147	151	151	154
Young People's Theatre—Act respecting	Pr3	21a	254 (Lapsed)			

a Committal change, 58
c Committal change, 189

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PROCLAMATION

(Great Seal of Ontario)

PAULINE M. McGIBBON

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

ELIZABETH THE SECOND, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom, Canada and Her other Realms and Territories Queen, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith.

To Our Faithful the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our Province of Ontario and to every of you,—

GREETING:

ROY MCMURTRY }
Attorney General } **W**HEREAS it is expedient for certain causes and considerations to convene the Legislative Assembly of Our Province of Ontario WE DO WILL that you and each of you and all others in this behalf interested, on Tuesday, the sixth day of March now next, at 3.00 o'clock p.m., at Our City of Toronto, personally be and appear for the actual Despatch of Business, to treat, act, do and conclude upon those things which, in Our Legislature for the Province of Ontario, by the Common Council of Our said Province, may by the favour of God be ordained.

HEREIN FAIL NOT

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF We have caused these Our Letters to be made patent and the Great Seal of Our Province of Ontario to be hereunto affixed.

WITNESS:

THE HONOURABLE PAULINE M. MCGIBBON, An Officer of the Order of Canada, Bachelor of Arts, Doctor of Laws, Doctor of University, Bachelor of Applied Arts, (Theatre), Honorary Fellow Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons (Canada).

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR OF OUR PROVINCE OF ONTARIO,

at our City of Toronto in Our said Province this fourteenth day of February in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventy-nine and in the twenty-eighth year of Our Reign.

BY COMMAND

GEORGE MCCAGUE,
Acting Minister of Government Services.

Tuesday, the sixth day of March, 1979, being the first day of the Third Session of the Thirty-first Parliament of the Province of Ontario for the Despatch of Business pursuant to a Proclamation of the Honourable Pauline M. McGibbon, O.C., B.A., LL.D., D.U. (Ott.), B.A.A. (Theatre), Hon. F.R.C.P.S.(C), Lieutenant Governor of the Province.

3.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

And the House having met,

The Honourable the Lieutenant Governor then entered the House and, being seated on the Throne, was pleased to open the Session by the following gracious speech:—

Mr. Speaker and Members of the Legislative Assembly:

We assemble for this, the Third Session of the Thirty-first Parliament of Ontario, at a time of unprecedented challenge and promise. The circumstances that prevail in our Province, in Canada, and, indeed, on the international scene, give rise to differing attitudes as to Ontario's prospects and expectations. For it is clear that not all the factors that shape our destiny lie within our control. Nevertheless, my Government approaches the future, both immediate and long-term, with faith and confidence, trusting in our abundance of human and natural resources and in the resourcefulness and abilities of our people.

The challenge which our nation holds for all Canadians will not be fully met until firm choices are made about the kind of nation we are to have. Similarly, the economic

well-being of our nation will be of paramount importance in determining the opportunity we all share as Canadians.

Le défi qui se pose à tous les Canadiens ne sera pas pleinement relevé tant que l'avenir de notre pays n'aura pas fait l'objet de choix définitifs. De même, c'est de la prospérité économique de notre pays que dépendent essentiellement les chances qui s'offrent à nous en tant que Canadiens.

Honourable Members will realize, however, that security and prosperity for Ontario citizens are not pre-ordained, nor is the prescription for an assured future to be found in any known or readily available formula. Rather, we have learned, over the years, that the ingredients for progress are numerous and complex, encompassing many intangible factors, including the sense of confidence we possess in ourselves. My Government calls on this Assembly to provide significant leadership in advancing and shaping that spirit of confidence that is needed in Ontario and among its people.

At the same time, there is every recognition that, if the full potential of our talents and resources is to be realized, effective management must be the hallmark of all areas of government operation, as well as of the private sector of our economy. The measures to be introduced by my Government at this Session, and other programs relating to the on-going process of government, will be consistent with the requirements of good management.

Some may wish to argue as to whether the primary emphasis of this Session should be directed to improving the economic climate of Ontario or to improving the social services available to our people. In truth, extensive attention must be given to both. For it is clear that only if the economic circumstances in our Province remain strong will we be able to maintain and develop the programs that contribute to a fair and balanced society.

Ontario's citizens are among the most prosperous in the industrial nations. However, this prosperity, of which we can be justly proud, faces a strong wave of international competition, not only in regard to the sale of goods and services, but also in the location of new and expanded production facilities.

It is the Government's view that industry in Ontario will need to be carefully but aggressively supported in future years, as Canada adjusts to the new trading rules that will be established on the conclusion of the international trade talks in Geneva. Ontario will therefore be actively engaged in negotiations with the Federal Government on the outcome of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade, and would expect that there will be a fair apportionment of Federal financial and technical assistance to our Province.

While there must be prudent limits to the use of public funds to attract industrial jobs, the social costs of not maintaining our industrial strength cannot be ignored. These social costs and the risk of losing long-term jobs have motivated the Government of Ontario to take firm action to ensure the cost competitiveness of the Province in attracting new jobs for our labour force.

Thus, as a matter of first priority, my Government will take specific measures that will ensure that the Ontario economy continues to expand in a positive and productive fashion. Such measures will not only bring the obvious benefits of increased employment opportunities and steady incomes, but will also add to the

assured tax base of Ontario, thus contributing increased revenues from which important programs can be financed.

Primary among these efforts will be the establishment of an Employment Development Fund to offer appropriate assistance to industry in our province and spur economic activity and employment. The allocation of funds, monitoring of shifting economic priorities, and co-ordination of job-creation programs will be the responsibility of a special board of Ministers, chaired by the Treasurer. A single focus for submission, analysis and development of major proposals will be provided by the Minister of Industry and Tourism, as Vice-Chairman of the board.

But, if the Ontario economy is going to grow, and bring with it expanded opportunities for our people, it will require more than government assistance. Private sector investors will look for other factors that contribute to effective operations and which ensure that they can remain fully competitive in the marketplace. It is essential, therefore, that we point to a favourable, receptive climate that offers such important features as skilled manpower, harmonious labour/industry relations, price and wage stability, assured energy supplies at competitive prices, fair taxation policies, and government determination to avoid unnecessary controls, regulation, and expenditures.

Progressive measures can be expected, during this Session, in all these areas.

The present education structure does not meet fully today's need for highly skilled persons in the manufacturing and service industries. In answer to this need, my Government will implement a comprehensive business and industrial training program, involving our secondary schools, colleges, organized labour and the business community.

This will mean a realignment of secondary school technical programs with post-secondary programs, innovative trades study courses and an expansion of apprenticed trades as well as of the new Employer-Sponsored on-the-job training initiatives. Emphasis will be placed on providing guidance information on job market and training opportunities in the industrial sector. At the same time, efforts will be made to develop a more positive attitude among young people, and their parents, toward careers in the skilled trades.

Under existing arrangements a number of manpower responsibilities—job creation and retention, training, placement, counselling and the compilation and analysis of essential labour market data—fall within the jurisdiction of several ministries. To ensure that these activities are planned and implemented in the most effective way, both internally and in relation to federal programs, the Minister of Labour will be designated the Minister of Labour and Manpower, and will be given the appropriate mandate to guide and co-ordinate the Government's manpower activities.

Continued high priority will be given to special programs for women in the public and private sectors. In addition to the on-going programs of the Women's Bureau and the Women Crown Employees' Office, the Ministry of Labour will establish an Equal Opportunity Advisory Committee, composed of senior labour and management representatives.

As an important step toward better labour/management relations, Ontario established, last fall, the first Quality of Working Life Centre in Canada. This unique co-operative experiment by labour, management and government will embark on a

program of pilot projects and educational activities aimed at increasing employee participation in decision-making in the workplace, improving labour relations and enhancing productive performance. The Centre will continue to be guided and assisted in its activities by an advisory committee of leading members of the labour and business communities.

At the last Session, the Minister of Labour tabled a report of an Industrial Inquiry Commission which identified problems in the process and structure of grievance arbitration. This Session, the Government will introduce amendments to The Labour Relations Act designed to reduce the costs for arbitration, to provide third-party assistance in resolving grievances prior to arbitration, and generally to enable the process to be carried out in the fairest and most expeditious manner.

Despite the over 133,000 new jobs created in Ontario in 1978—a record high since 1974—unemployment levels remain unacceptable as more people are entering the workforce than ever before. This creates a particular burden on the capacity of our economy to expand and embrace the many citizens who seek to earn their place within it.

We are encouraged, however, by the fact that almost all of these new jobs were created by the private sector, which can be taken as significant justification for a policy of limiting public sector growth to allow the private sector to expand.

Some 2,000 labour contracts will come due for negotiation in Ontario in 1979. It is important that all parties to these negotiations show reason and moderation, if inflationary pressures on the economy are to be resisted. However, the battle against inflation, if it is to be fair and successful, must be fought at all levels. Prices and incomes—including executive salaries and professional fees—must all be restrained, if we are to break the momentum of self-perpetuating inflation.

The Government will seek to set an appropriate example by following the precepts of bargaining in good faith, while insisting on recognition of the dollar value of job security, pensions and other fringe benefits in wage and salary negotiations with its own public servants.

Nevertheless, as has been recognized at recent federal-provincial conferences, any successful effort to contain the problem of inflation must be undertaken as a matter of national priority. My Government will, therefore, do everything within its power to co-operate with the Federal Government in combatting unacceptable inflationary trends.

Consistent with this commitment, Ontario will continue the effective steps already taken to manage government spending so that public expenditures do not, in themselves, contribute to rising inflation. Further, while recognizing the limits imposed on any provincial jurisdiction in controlling the general monetary situation, we are prepared to take further action.

Since food prices are unquestionably a matter of great concern to the average citizen, the Ministry of Consumer and Commercial Relations will assist consumers in making informed choices, by establishing a program to monitor and report on prices across the province. Significant market trends will be analyzed as they develop, and periodic reports will address specific problem areas.

Further, because of the particularly sharp price increases in many imported foods, caused primarily by the decline in the value of the Canadian dollar, my Government intends to launch a province-wide campaign, immediately, to advise and assist consumers on ways to reduce their food costs by using Ontario-grown, fresh and processed agricultural products.

As well, an extensive campaign will be undertaken, in conjunction with the "Shop Canadian" program, to persuade the people of Ontario as to the merits of import substitution through the purchase of a wide variety of Canadian manufactured goods. It is clear that a determined move toward self-sufficiency in respect of basic goods and services will not only contribute to effective price stability, but will also increase the prospect of assured supply. In this context, government support of projects, such as that intended to demonstrate the productivity of green-house complexes, through the use of waste heat from nuclear generating stations, takes on new importance.

Keeping in view the energy needs of industry and the private citizen, the Government, through the Ministry of Energy, will continue efforts to ensure that options for Ontario's future supplies are as flexible as possible.

First, the Government recognizes the primary importance of electricity as a source of energy for this province. Foreign political instability makes it mandatory that we continue policies and programs that safeguard and enhance Ontario Hydro's production facilities as a future guarantee of domestic supplies. What appears to be an oversupply of electrical energy today, may well become essential to our continuing prosperity within a comparatively short period of time.

Transient and essentially unpredictable changes in demand may alter considerations of timing, but it would be highly irresponsible to weaken the Province's commitment to the generation of electricity from nuclear power as a safe, secure and efficient means of protecting present and future generations of Ontarians. Energy security now and in the future will not be inexpensive; yet we will be able to finance this security at prices, to the consuming public, lower than in almost all other jurisdictions.

As part of the continuing search for alternative energy sources, my Government hopes to conclude, shortly, a \$58 million, 5-year bilateral cost-sharing agreement with the Government of Canada to demonstrate, in co-operation with the private sector, new technology in energy conservation and renewable energy.

Through the Ontario Energy Corporation, support will be given to energy-related business development, including projects using by-product power and energy from waste. Changes will be made in the financing and organization of the Energy Corporation to enable it to take a more active role in the achievement of energy and economic policy objectives in Ontario.

At the national level, the Government will ensure that the interests of Ontario's industrial, commercial and residential consumers will be vigorously represented in matters relating to the export, transmission and pricing of natural gas and security of supply of other energy resources.

The driving force of our economic system is private enterprise and initiative. It is entrepreneurs in businesses, big and small, who create new products, new businesses and new jobs through the application of brains and skills, and their willingness to take

considerable financial risks. It is vital to our economic future that we maintain a climate of opportunity for innovative and imaginative individuals. My Government believes potential rewards must justify the considerable risks. Accordingly, measures will be introduced to encourage the flow of risk capital into new and expanding small businesses.

Likewise, Ontario's tourism industry, which experienced a 16 per cent growth in revenue last year, will be aggressively supported by the Government in 1979. There will be a substantial increase in tourist promotional investment.

Phase Two of the highly successful hospitality awareness program—"We Treat You Royally"—will be launched in May. An important new element of the program will train 25,000 employees of the hospitality industry and make for better service and better business among participating operators.

If private enterprise is to operate effectively, it must be freed from obstacles created by excessive government regulation. Steady progress has been made since the adoption, just under a year ago, of a government-wide policy to improve the regulatory process. There can be, of course, no dispute that a certain measure of government regulation is essential. However, it is equally important that such controls be consistent, effective, and administered without undue interference or excessive cost.

A significant share of the problems faced by small business can be traced to government regulation. It is a situation that must be corrected if this vital segment of the community is to thrive. My Government will ensure that, in implementing recommendations from various sources, special attention is paid to items that affect small business.

In other areas of operation, continued efforts will be made to improve existing legislation, regulations, and administrative structures in an exercise which will affect all levels of government. Various legislative amendments will be proposed to clarify statutory requirements, remove oblique or obsolete references, and simplify procedures. Consumer legislation will be amended to give self-regulatory responsibilities, where appropriate, to industries, associations, or municipalities.

For example, the Minister of Consumer and Commercial Relations will introduce a program of self-regulation for general insurance agents and brokers that will permit them to serve the public as effective advisers and consultants, while continuing to provide the necessary financial and trust account control.

Major emphasis will be placed on the consolidation of regulatory authority for specific programs into single areas of responsibility. This will be one of the features of important new legislative proposals for The Planning Act, the aim of which will be to accelerate and streamline the process of community planning approvals.

The Government also recognizes the need to give attention to the manner in which it serves the public, as being consistent with the need for appropriate and adequate legislation. To this end, new programs will be developed to ensure easier access to government by citizens who need information or assistance.

My Government would consider these two factors as key to a relationship of mutual trust between people and government. It is important that there be the fullest

possible access to government by the people. Government must also try to limit its regulatory function to such uses as are absolutely necessary and for the benefit and protection of those served. The degree to which these elements co-exist is itself a measure of the strength of the democratic process.

Ontarians can take satisfaction and pride from the fact that their productive efforts have made it possible to develop and maintain a large variety of social programs. Full educational opportunity, care and concern for those afflicted by illness and need, necessary representation in legal affairs, as well as many other important protections have become fundamental to our way of life.

By the same token, the high standard and the effectiveness of law enforcement in our Province are a testimony to an orderly way of life based on an historical respect for law by the vast majority of our people. If Ontario is to continue to enjoy this high level of protection, there is a real need for full public support of the police function. That function is the protection of our people against all criminal acts by those who are not content to live within the law. The objective, simply stated, is the protection of society. It is a goal which will be pursued through continued emphasis on efficient management and a professionalism, tempered by compassion, in the administration of justice.

In pursuing efforts to secure full social justice for all members of the community, my Government proposes several initiatives, which government alone can take, to assist specific groups of citizens. It is, of course, incumbent on us, particularly in times of fiscal restraint, to ensure that wastefulness, misuse and duplication of service relating to these programs are eliminated. Every effort is being made to achieve this end.

For the past two years the Ministry of Community and Social Services, together with the Ministry of Transportation and Communications, has been providing special transit services for the physically disabled on a pilot project basis in five communities.

Building on the success of this program, the Government will take steps to make these projects permanent. Introduction of a gradual expansion to other communities will begin without delay. The program will continue to depend on volunteer involvement. At the same time, provision will be made for grants to municipalities through amendments to The Public Transportation and Highway Improvement Act.

The Government will move toward a modest expansion of several pilot projects which were launched recently to provide special accommodation and necessary attendant care for the young physically disabled. These projects have been remarkably successful in enabling these young people to maintain a life in the community—in many cases going to work or school and working toward being self-supporting.

The Ministry of Community and Social Services will develop ways to ensure that social assistance programs provide positive incentives to enable sole-support mothers and disabled persons who wish to become self-supporting, to take and maintain full-time employment. Improved part-time work incentives will be introduced to help disabled persons on social assistance.

My Government has also been most concerned to ensure that young people are not disadvantaged in the search for work. For this reason, the Government proposes to continue the Ontario Youth Employment Program during the summer months.

The Government will continue to pursue the reshaping of health care delivery services to ensure both excellence of service and effective management.

Citizens may be assured, however, that Ontario's health care programs, and other programs which now ensure adequate protection for those who may not always be in the best position to help themselves, will remain solidly in place. For example, after careful review, the Government has decided that the Drug Benefit Program for senior citizens and other persons in need of assistance should not be altered. The social value to Ontario is too great to allow any diminution in the quality or quantity of such significant social advances.

Home Care services for chronically ill patients who wish to live at home, but who require some nursing and other medical assistance to do so, will be extended. A significant number of beds will be added to the system for persons needing long-term nursing home or chronic hospital care, where need is identified through the health-planning process. It is the intention to establish placement co-ordination services to ensure that patients requiring such care are placed in the most appropriate setting.

Out-patient services and day surgery programs will be expanded in a number of hospitals.

The Ministry of Health will work with local boards of health to upgrade their programs by developing standards for such public health services as immunization and family planning.

The Government's many programs and policies to preserve and strengthen the vitality of rural and remote parts of Ontario reflect a concern that Ontarians, however far removed from larger or more accessible centres, must be enabled to share the opportunities afforded others of their fellow citizens.

With this aim in view, Honourable Members will be asked to consider a new Local Services Boards Act to address some of the needs of communities in Northern Ontario that lack municipal organization. This will be in the form of enabling legislation so that those communities, if they wish, may give elected local bodies the power to raise revenues and provide basic services.

The Ministry of Northern Affairs will also seek ways to provide a greater range of television service for remote areas in order to overcome the sense of isolation that exists for many Northern residents.

In the agricultural community, the Government proposes to support the Foodland Guidelines policy adopted at the last Session by establishing a modified grants program to maintain and enhance productivity on farms. The grants will be given mainly for water and erosion control projects, as well as to assist in construction of selected farm production facilities.

Special attention will be given to the need to assure that farmers are protected by minimum farm machinery warranties and contract standards.

Agricrew, a popular pilot project of the Ministry of Agriculture and Food last year, will be expanded to a province-wide program that will provide students an

opportunity for new training and employment. The program offers support to farmers during peak harvest periods and for improvements to farmsteads.

At the same time, Ontario will press the Federal Government for continuation of the Agricultural Rehabilitation and Development Agreement or for a similar program, as being of crucial importance to continued growth in Northern and Eastern Ontario.

A major new fisheries management initiative will be launched by the Ministry of Natural Resources to maintain fisheries resources throughout Ontario and, indeed, to rebuild some already lost in the Southern part of the Province. Efforts will be made to improve the stock in the Great Lakes, by working more effectively with the International Joint Commission and the Great Lakes Fisheries Commission. The scope of the program calls for significant new policies as an investment in the future. The environmental as well as the economic benefits are paramount.

Over the past two years, the Ministry of Natural Resources has worked with the forest industry on bringing together the harvesting and regeneration phases. As a result of these consultations, the Government will introduce amendments to The Crown Timber Act to provide for contractual arrangements with timber harvesting companies for the management of specific forest lands. The effect of these agreements will mean the transfer of much of the forest management work to the private sector, while the responsibility to maintain the productivity of forest land will remain with government.

My Government has taken into account the public comments on proposed amendments to The Environmental Protection Act concerning spills of toxic substances. Legislation will be re-introduced which will broaden the Government's authority to order control, clean-up and restoration, with liability provisions for compensation for damages resulting from spills.

Ontario has made major advances in the water quality of the Great Lakes in co-operation with the Federal Government, and with United States agencies through the International Joint Commission. Now that a new international agreement is in effect, the Canada/Ontario Agreement is being revised, with emphasis on the control of toxic substances, and on pollution of the Great Lakes from land use and airborne contaminants.

Commitments have been made for research and analysis for better understanding of low level environmental contaminants which can build up in living tissue. This new knowledge is being incorporated in a thorough revision of water quality programs, guidelines and objectives, to be released shortly by the Ministry of the Environment.

Throughout 1979, the observance of the International Year of the Child offers a special opportunity to reinforce the awareness that our children are the single most important assurance for the future.

Government initiatives that will be taken include an intensive immunization awareness campaign directed at the public, and particularly at parents of young children. Specialized services such as poison control centres will be established in the children's hospitals.

Following on legislation, two years ago, giving all children equal status before the law, and recently enacted provisions for children's services, my Government will introduce a second phase of The Children's Law Reform Act to recognize the best interests of the child in custody and access cases.

Foster care programs for mentally retarded and emotionally disturbed children will be expanded. Increased funding will be allocated to programs to counter child abuse.

These programs for children will be supported throughout the government and in the community by scores of other activities, many of which will be by way of celebration. In this vein, this year's Civic Holiday on August 6 will be declared Children's Day in all provincial parks.

My Government is able to report steady progress in the provision of French-language services in Ontario and will introduce enabling amendments under The Evidence Act to give appropriate status to Ontario statutes in French. This follows on last year's implementation of a system to prepare such translations.

The multicultural reality of Ontario is characterized by a tradition of fairness and harmony among its citizens. It is, however, a tradition that requires dedicated effort to ensure that multiculturalism remains the positive force that it can be in our society. Through our schools, through other social institutions and through individual example, we must develop attitudes that further the equality and dignity of all people.

My Government sees its role in maintaining a harmonious society as one of leadership as well as of responsiveness. To this end, the Government intends to restructure the Advisory Council on Multiculturalism to make it a more dynamic force in the promotion of cultural retention and sharing. As well, every effort will be made to enlarge the scope of effective communication between government and the various ethnic communities so that they may understand and gain full participation in the Canadian way of life.

My Government reaffirms its deeply felt commitment to a strong and unified Canadian nation, and renews its pledge to contribute in a positive and constructive manner to intergovernmental discussions which have as their urgent purpose a renewed Constitution for Canada that will be in the best interests of all Canadians.

It is our firm conviction that a renewed Constitution is a high priority of this nation, in order to provide a framework in which all citizens and regions can enjoy growth and prosperity within the context of a harmonious and flourishing country.

The general principles governing Ontario's approach in this respect are, we believe, supported by the people of Ontario. They are:

- preservation of the unity of Canada;
- preservation of a strong central government with adequate powers to pursue the national interest, and provincial governments that reflect the regional diversities that are the Canadian heritage;
- preservation of a union which ensures free movement and a free flow of goods, services, capital and people from coast to coast;

- preservation of an economic union underscored by a commitment of all provinces and regions to contribute to each other's well-being, and, generally, to share each other's endowments, on a privileged basis as Canadians first;
- preservation of the Monarch as Head of State for Canada;
- finally, to bring the Constitution home as soon as possible so that Canadians, as proud inheritors of these traditions, can deal, as a mature and independent people, with their own self-governance.

My Government believes that these principles are fundamental to a strong and united nation. In future Constitutional discussions we will continue to build on them, sensitive always to the expressed and perceived concerns of our Native people and of our partners in the Canadian Confederation.

However, the Government places a caution unequivocally before the citizens of this Province and of Canada as a whole: namely, that Ontario will not negotiate sovereignty association with the Government of Quebec. We wish to work with the Province of Quebec within the Canadian framework and we will strive to do so with vigour.

Our two Provinces share similar experience and traditions as founding partners in the Canadian nation. We are compatriots and friends. My Government has inherent understanding and support for the great French-speaking partner of our Confederation in its efforts to preserve the French identity, language, culture and heritage. Within our own Province, we have pursued and accomplished significant measures, and will continue to develop further measures to recognize our mutual duality in language, culture and tradition.

It is the firm conviction of my Government that, having full regard to the real and understandable aspirations of the people of Quebec, the interests of all will best be served by retaining the national boundaries that now designate the Canadian nation.

To this end, it is my Government's intention to place a resolution before this House, in the hope that it will receive unanimous support and put on record the will of the Legislators of this Province.

Honourable Members, the program presented for your consideration will seek to consolidate Ontario's position within Confederation; to promote efficient and effective management of government programs; to sustain economic stability and opportunity for the people of Ontario, and to advance their social well-being.

May Divine Providence guide your deliberations.

In our Sovereign's name, I thank you. God bless the Queen and Canada.

Her Honour was then pleased to retire.

PRAYERS

3.50 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Speaker then reported,

That, to prevent mistakes, he had obtained a copy of Her Honour's Speech, which he would read. (Reading dispensed with).

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 1, An Act to amend The Quieting Titles Act. *Mr. McMurtry.*

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, the Speech of the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor to this House be taken into consideration on Thursday next.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, commencing tomorrow, March 7th, this House will not sit in the Chamber on Wednesday unless otherwise ordered.

On motion by Mr. Welch, and by unanimous consent, it was,

Ordered, That, notwithstanding any Standing Orders of the House, the following be the sequence in which Private Members Ballot Items be listed and called for debate, and that a new ballot be held thereafter:

Mr. Grande
Mr. Rotenberg
Mr. Peterson
Mr. Renwick
Mr. Johnson
Mr. Stong
Mr. Davison (Hamilton Centre)
Mr. MacBeth
Mr. Reed (Halton-Burlington)
Mr. Foulds
Mr. Handleman
Mr. Gaunt
Mr. Bounsall
Mr. Taylor (Prince Edward-Lennox)
Mr. Van Horne
Mr. Makarchuk
Mrs. Scrivener
Mr. Hall

Mr. Lupusella
Mr. Kerr
Mr. Reid (Rainy River)
Mr. Lawlor
Mr. Watson
Mr. Epp
Mr. Charlton
Mr. Ramsay
Mr. Miller (Haldimand-Norfolk)
Mr. Young
Mr. Rollins
Mr. Ruston
Mr. Germa

And that the first day for consideration of Private Members Public Bills and Orders be Thursday, March 29.

In accordance with the Order of the House passed Friday December 15th, 1978 the following Bills were deemed to have been introduced and read the first time and deemed to have been read the second time:—

Bill 74, An Act to establish a Code of Procedure for Provincial Offences. *Mr. McMurtry. Ordered for Standing Administration of Justice Committee.*

Bill 75, An Act to amend The Provincial Courts Act. *Mr. McMurtry. Ordered for Standing Administration of Justice Committee.*

Bill 136, An Act to stabilize Employment of Tradesmen in the Construction Industry. *Mr. Elgie. Ordered for Standing Resources Development Committee.*

Bill 163, An Act to reform the Law respecting Residential Tenancies. *Mr. Drea. Ordered for Standing General Government Committee.*

The House then adjourned at 3.55 p.m.

Sessional Papers presented during the interval between Sessions were Tabled as follows:—

Local Government Finance in Ontario, 1977 (No. 5).

Annual Report of the Ministry of the Attorney General for the year 1977-78 (No. 6).

Public Access to Government Documents: a Comparative Perspective, Research Publication 3; Information Access and The Workmen's Compensation Board, Research Publication 4; Research and Statistical Uses of Ontario Government Personal Data, Research Publication 5—Prepared for the Commission on Freedom of Information and Individual Privacy (No. 7).

Fifth Report of the Ombudsman for the period April 1, 1978 to September 30, 1978 (*No. 8*).

Regis College—Financial Statements for the year ended July 31, 1978 (*No. 9*).

The Ontario Cancer Treatment and Research Foundation—Annual Report for the year ended March 31, 1978 (*No. 10*).

Policy and Legislative Responses to the Challenge of Electronic Funds Transfer (*No. 11*).

Third Annual Report of the College Relations Commission, 1977-1978 (*No. 12*).

Annual Report of the Agricultural Research Institute of Ontario for the period April 1, 1977 to March 31, 1978 (*No. 13*).

Third Annual Report 1977-78 of the Education Relations Commission (*No. 14*).

The Fourth Annual Report of the Commission on Election Contributions and Expenses for the year 1978 (*No. 15*).

SECOND DAY

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7TH, 1979

In accordance with the motion passed Tuesday, March 6th, 1979 the House will not sit in the Chamber on Wednesdays unless otherwise ordered.

THIRD DAY

THURSDAY, MARCH 8TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Speaker informed the House, that a vacancy had occurred in the membership of the House by reason of the resignation of Ian Deans, Esq, as Member for Wentworth. Also, that the Clerk had received and laid upon the Table the following certificate of a by-election in the Electoral District of Sault Ste. Marie.

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

This is to certify that, in view of a Writ of Election dated the Thirtieth day of October, 1978, issued by the Honourable Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Ontario, and addressed to Curtis A. Scott, Esquire, Returning Officer for the Electoral

District of Sault Ste. Marie, for the election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District of Sault Ste. Marie in the Legislative Assembly of this Province in the room of John R. Rhodes, Esquire, who, since his election as representative of the said Electoral District of Sault Ste. Marie, has departed this life, R. H. Ramsay, Esquire, has been returned as duly elected as appears by the Return of the said Writ of Election, dated the Twenty-seventh day of December, 1978, which is now lodged of record in my office.

RODERICK LEWIS, Q.C.,
Chief Election Officer.

Toronto, February 5th, 1979.

R. H. Ramsay, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of Sault Ste. Marie, having taken the Oath and subscribed the Roll, took his seat.

Mr. Havrot from the Standing Resources Development Committee presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee recommends that the Annual Report of the Minister of the Environment for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1977 be referred again to the Committee in order that consideration of this Report may be completed by the Committee.

Your Committee further recommends that the Annual Report of the Ontario Highway Transport Board for 1977 be referred again to the Committee in order that consideration of this report may be completed by the Committee.

Mr. Philip from the Standing Administration of Justice Committee presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills with certain amendments:—

Bill 74, An Act to establish a Code of Procedure for Provincial Offences. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

Bill 75, An Act to amend The Provincial Courts Act. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, Mr. MacBeth be appointed Deputy Chairman of the Committee of the Whole House for this session.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, the following Standing Committees be established for this Session, with power to examine and inquire into all such matters as may be referred to them by the House, with power to send for persons, papers and things, as provided in Section 35 of the Legislative Assembly Act:—

General Government—Ashe, Charlton, Duksza, Epp, Handlemen, Hennessy, Hodgson, Laughren, Mancini, McCaffrey, McEwen, McGuigan, Samis, Scrivener, Smith (Simcoe East), Turner.

Resources Development—Bolan, Bryden, Di Santo, Eaton, Foulds, Havrot, Johnson, Lane, McNeil, Reed (Halton-Burlington), Riddell, Van Horne, Vileuneuve, Watson, Wildman, Yakabuski.

Administration of Justice—Bradley, Campbell, Cureatz, Kerr, Lupusella, Philip, Renwick, Rotenberg, Roy, Sterling, Stong, Swart, Taylor (Simcoe Centre), Taylor (Prince Edward-Lennox), Williams, Ziemba.

Social Development—Belanger, Blundy, Cooke, Gaunt, Gigantes, Grande, Jones, Kennedy, Kerrio, Leluk, McClellan, O'Neil, Pope, Ramsay, Rowe, Sweeney.

Public Accounts—Germa, Hall, Handleman, Leluk, Mackenzie, Makarchuk, Peterson, Pope, Ramsay, Reid (Rainy River), Sargent, Taylor (Simcoe Centre).

The Report of the Provincial Auditor for 1977-78 and the Public Accounts for 1977-78 are referred to the Public Accounts Committee.

The Standing Statutory Instruments Committee is appointed for this session to be the committee provided for by Section 12 of The Regulations Act, and has the terms of reference as set out in that section, and the said committee, in addition to those powers, shall review and consider:

1. The role of the committee with particular reference to the recommendations of the Select Committee on the Fourth and Fifth Reports of the Ontario Commission on the Legislature, and the practices of the Parliaments of Canada and the United Kingdom,

and

2. The establishment of guidelines to be observed in the delegation by statutes of power to make Statutory Instruments and the use made of such delegated power.

The said committee is to report its recommendations to the House and in addition to the normal powers of the Standing Committees to send for persons, papers and things, it shall have the power to employ counsel and such other staff as the committee considers necessary.

The committee shall be composed of 8 members as follows:—Cureatz, Davison (Hamilton Centre), Eakins, McCaffrey, McKessock, Rollins, Swart, Williams.

That, the Standing Members' Services Committee be appointed for this session to examine the services to members from time to time, and without interfering with the statutory responsibility of the Board of Internal Economy in such matters the committee is empowered to recommend to the consideration of the House matters it wishes to draw to the special attention of the Board and that the committee be empowered to act as an advisory committee to Mr. Speaker and the Board of Internal Economy on the administration of the House and the provision of services and facilities to members, and to draw the special attention of the House to such matters as the committee believes requires it.

The committee shall be composed of 8 members as follows:—Bounsall, Campbell, Conway, Jones, Newman (Windsor-Walkerville), Smith (Simcoe East), Watson, Young.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, unless otherwise ordered substitution be permitted on all Standing Committees provided that notice of substitution is given to the Chairman of the Committee prior to the commencement of the meeting.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, the Procedural Affairs Committee be authorized to meet concurrently with the House this afternoon.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 2, An Act respecting the County of Middlesex. *Mr. Henderson.*

Bill 3, An Act to amend The Employment Standards Act, 1974. *Mr. Bounsall.*

Bill 4, An Act respecting the Rights of Non-Unionized Workers. *Mr. Haggerty.*

Bill 5, An Act to amend The Pits and Quarries Control Act, 1971. *Mr. Warner.*

Bill 6, An Act to amend The Labour Relations Act. *Mr. Haggerty.*

Before the Orders of the Day, Mr. Smith (Hamilton West) moved, seconded by Mrs. Campbell,

That the ordinary business of the House be set aside to discuss a matter of urgent public importance under Standing Order 34, namely, the failure of the province to provide the funds necessary to avert the fare increase of the Toronto Transit Commission, a matter of extreme urgency because,

- (1) ridership has been declining and a fare increase is expected to accelerate that decline;
- (2) falling TTC ridership jeopardizes the long-term viability of the transit system in Ontario's largest municipality, the decline of which would have serious energy use and financial implications for all citizens of Ontario;
- (3) the Metropolitan Government has agreed to match the required additional Provincial contribution;
- (4) Toronto is asking, not for special treatment, but for equal treatment with other large municipalities of Ontario;
- (5) without the additional funds, the fares will increase on March 12, 1979".

Mr. Speaker ruled that the motion was in order, and the House having unanimously agreed, the debate proceeded to conclusion.

The House then adjourned at 6.00 p.m.

Sessional Paper:—

Ontario Ministry of Culture and Recreation Annual Report 1977-1978 (*No. 16*).

FOURTH DAY

FRIDAY MARCH 9TH, 1979

PRAYERS

10.00 O'CLOCK A.M.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 7, An Act to amend The Milk Act. *Mr. Newman* (Durham-York).

Bill 8, An Act to amend The Trees Act. *Mr. Auld*.

Bill 9, An Act to amend The Liquor Licence Act, 1975. *Mr. Ziemba*.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain Bill:—

After some time, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report progress on Bill 74, An Act to establish a Code of Procedure for Provincial Offences.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

The House then adjourned at 1.00 p.m.

Sessional Paper:—

Boise Cascade Canada Limited and The Lumber and Sawmill Workers' Union, Local 2693, Report of the Disputes Advisory Committee re. (No. 17).

FIFTH DAY

MONDAY, MARCH 12TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, the Standing General Government Committee be authorized to meet concurrently with the House this afternoon.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, on Thursday next, March 15th, this House will adjourn at 6.00 p.m. and stand adjourned until 2.00 p.m. Tuesday, March 27th.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 10, An Act to relieve Persons from Liability in respect of voluntary Emergency Medical and First Aid Services. *Mr. Haggerty*.

The following Bill was introduced, read the first time and referred to the Standing Administration of Justice Committee:—

Bill Pr2, An Act to revive Portuguese Club of London Inc. *Mr. Peterson*.

The following Bill was introduced, read the first time and referred to the Standing General Government Committee:—

Bill Pr3, An Act respecting Young People's Theatre. *Mrs. Campbell.*

The Order of the Day for the Consideration of the Speech of the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor at the Opening of the Session having been read,

Mr. Watson moved, seconded by Mr. Ramsay,

That an humble Address be presented to the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor as follows:

To the Honourable Pauline M. McGibbon, O.C., B.A., LL.D., D.U., D. Hum. L., B.A.A. (Theatre), Hon. F.R.C.P.S.(C), D. St. J, D.C.L.J., Lieutenant Governor of Ontario.

We, Her Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, now assembled, beg leave to thank Your Honour for the gracious Speech Your Honour has addressed to us.

And a debate having ensued, it was, on motion by Mr. Nixon,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

The House then adjourned at 4.15 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Commission on Freedom of Information and Individual Privacy—Access to Information: Ontario Government Administrative Operations—Research Publication No. 6 (*No. 18*).

Criminal Injuries Compensation Board, The Ninth Report of the, for the fiscal year April 1, 1977 to March 31, 1978 (*No. 19*).

SIXTH DAY

TUESDAY, MARCH 13TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 11, An Act to amend The Family Benefits Act. *Mr. Peterson.*

Bill 12, An Act to amend The Landlord and Tenant Act. *Mr. Warner.*

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion for an Address in Reply to the Speech of the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The debate was resumed and, after some time, it was,

On motion by Mr. Cassidy,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain Bill:—

After some time, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report progress on Bill 74, An Act to establish a Code of Procedure for Provincial Offences.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Pursuant to Standing Order 63(a), Mr. Cassidy, seconded by Mr. Renwick, moved:—

That as the Government of Ontario has refused to provide \$6,000,000 to the Toronto Transit Commission to maintain present transit fares for one year and has failed to revise its public transit subsidy formula, thus undermining public transit in Ontario; and as this refusal reflects the Government's policy to permit public transit fares to increase in the province; therefore this Government no longer enjoys the confidence of the House.

And a debate arising, after some time the motion was lost on the following division:—

AYES

Bounsall	Dukszta	McClellan
Bryden	Gigantes	Philip
Cassidy	Grande	Renwick
Charlton	Lawlor	Warner
Cooke	Lupusella	Wildman
Davison	MacDonald	Young
(Hamilton Centre)	Makarchuk	Ziamba—22.
Di Santo	Martel	

NAYS

Ashe	Jones	Rotenberg
Auld	Kennedy	Rowe
Baetz	Kerr	Roy
Belanger	Kerio	Ruston
Bernier	Lane	Sargent
Birch	Leluk	Scrivener
Blundy	MacBeth	Smith
Bolan	Mancini	(Simcoe East)
Breithaupt	McCaffrey	Snow
Brunelle	McCague	Stephenson
Campbell	McGuigan	Sterling
Conway	McKessock	Stong
Cureatz	McNeil	Taylor
Davis	Miller	(Prince Edward-Lennox)
Drea	(Haldimand-Norfolk)	Taylor
Eakins	Newman	(Simcoe Centre)
Eaton	(Durham-York)	Turner
Epp	Newman	Van Horne
Gaunt	(Windsor-Walkerville)	Villeneuve
Gregory	Nixon	Walker
Grossman	Norton	Watson
Haggerty	O'Neil	Welch
Hall	Peterson	Wells
Havrot	Pope	Williams
Henderson	Ramsay	Wiseman
Hennessy	Reid	Worton
Johnson	(Rainy River)	Yakabuski—75.
	Riddell	

The House then adjourned at 10.30 p.m.

SEVENTH DAY

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14TH, 1979

The Select Committee on Ontario Hydro Affairs met.

EIGHTH DAY

THURSDAY, MARCH 15TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. McCague delivered to Mr. Speaker a message from the Honourable the Administrator signed by his own hand, and the said message was read by Mr. Speaker and is as follows:—

W. G. C. HOWLAND

The Administrator of the Province transmits Estimates of certain sums required for the services of the Province for the year ending the 31st March, 1980 and recommends them to the Legislative Assembly.

Toronto, 15th March, 1979.

(Sessional Paper No. 3—Volumes 1 and 2, 1979-80).

Ordered, That the message of the Administrator, together with the Estimates accompanying the same, be referred to the Committee of Supply.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, notwithstanding the orders of the House, the order of preference for Private Members' Public Business be changed so that Mr. MacBeth's Ballot Item be listed and called for debate April 12 and Mr. Johnson's Ballot Item be listed and called for debate April 19.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, in compliance with section 81 of The Workmen's Compensation Amendment Act, 1973, the Annual Report of the Workmen's Compensation Board for 1977 be referred to the Standing Resources Development Committee for consideration starting the evening of Tuesday, March 27th and concluding Friday, March 30th, the

proceedings of which shall be transcribed by Hansard and appended to the Hansard proceedings of the House.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 13, An Act to amend The Ministry of Transportation and Communications Act, 1971. *Mr. Snow.*

Bill 14, An Act to amend The Statute Labour Act. *Mr. Snow.*

Bill 15, An Act to amend The Local Roads Boards Act. *Mr. Snow.*

Bill 16 An Act to amend The Airports Act. *Mr. Snow.*

Bill 17, An Act to revise The Line Fences Act. *Mr. Wells.*

Bill 18, An Act to amend The Ontario Unconditional Grants Act, 1975. *Mr. Wells.*

Bill 19, An Act to amalgamate the Ministry of Colleges and Universities and the Ministry of Education. *Mrs. Birch.*

Bill 20, An Act to amend The Residential Premises Rent Review Act, 1975 (2nd Session). *Mr. Drea.*

Bill 21, An Act to amend The Ontario Human Rights Code. *Mr. Newman* (Windsor-Walkerville).

Bill 22, An Act to amend The Ministry of Consumer and Commercial Relations Act. *Mr. Drea.*

Bill 23, An Act to amend The Legislative Assembly Act. *Mr. Swart.*

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion for an Address in Reply to the Speech of the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor at the opening of the Session having been read,

The debate was resumed, and, after some time,

Mr. Cassidy moved, seconded by Mr. Martel.

That the Motion for an Address in Reply to the Speech of the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor now before the House be amended by adding thereto the following words:—

That this House deplores the government's policy of damaging cutbacks in services to people and its failure to manage adequately Ontario's economy, and in particular regrets the government's failure to maintain a universal and accessible

health care system in Ontario, as exemplified by the severe cutbacks in active treatment hospital beds and the failure to deal with the problem of doctors opting out of OHIP; its failure to use the power of government to make multinational corporations in this province act in the best interest of Canadians; its failure to create job opportunities and to build a healthy industrial base that will make Ontario's economy self-reliant; its failure to protect consumers against unjustified increases in food prices; and its failure to put into place a balanced energy strategy reflecting Ontario's need for conservation and for energy sources additional to electricity and imported fuels; and that for all these reasons, this government no longer has the confidence of the House.

On motion by Mr. Norton.

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

The House then adjourned at 5.22 p.m.

Sessional Paper:—

Ontario Arts Council, 15th Annual Report, 1977-78 (*No. 20*).

NINTH DAY

TUESDAY, MARCH 27TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. McCague delivered to Mr. Speaker a message from the Honourable the Administrator signed by his own hand, and the said message was read by Mr. Speaker and is as follows:—

W. G. C. HOWLAND

The Administrator of the Province transmits Supplementary Estimates of certain additional sums required for the services of the Province for the year ending the 31st March, 1979 and recommends them to the Legislative Assembly.

Toronto, 27th March, 1979.

(*Sessional Paper No. 3—Part 2, 1978-79*).

Ordered, That the message of the Administrator, together with the Estimates accompanying the same, be referred to the Committee of Supply.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, commencing Thursday next, March 29th, the House may resolve itself into Committee of Supply.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, the Standing General Government Committee be authorized to meet this afternoon and evening concurrently with the House and on Wednesday, March 28.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, the Standing Administration of Justice Committee be authorized to meet the morning of Wednesday, March 28.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, the Statutory Instruments Committee and the Members' Services Committee be authorized to meet the morning of Thursday, March 29.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, the Standing Social Development Committee be authorized to meet concurrently with the House this afternoon.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 24, An Act to amend The Environmental Protection Act, 1971. *Mr. Parrott*.

Bill 25, An Act to amend The Labour Relations Act. *Mr. Elgie*.

Bill 26, An Act to amend The Consumer Protection Act. *Mr. Newman* (Windsor-Walkerville).

Bill 27, An Act to regulate the Manufacture Sale and Servicing of Portable Fire Extinguishers. *Mr. Stong*.

Bill 28, An Act to Protect the Reputation of Innocent Persons From Untimely Publicity. *Mr. Stong*.

The following Bill was introduced, read the first time and referred to the Standing General Government Committee:—

Bill Pr4, An Act respecting the Financing of The Huronia District Hospital. *Mr. Smith* (Simcoe East).

The following Bill was introduced, read the first time and referred to the Commissioners of Estate Bills:—

Bill Pr6, An Act respecting the Village of Cookstown. *Mr. Taylor* (Simcoe Centre).

A Return was tabled to Question No. 86 (*Sessional Paper No. 21*).

Answers were tabled to Question Nos. 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 61, 62, 63, 64, 89, 90 and 92. (*See Hansard*).

Interim Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 8 to 60 Inclusive, 65 to 85 Inclusive, 87, 88 and 91 (*See Hansard*).

Before the Orders of the Day,

Mr. Foulds moved, seconded by Mr. Makarchuk,

That the ordinary business of the House be set aside to discuss a matter of urgent public importance, namely the failure of the Minister of Health to provide adequate funding for hospitals throughout the province as evidenced in northern Ontario by Thunder Bay, Kirkland Lake and other small communities, in Metropolitan Toronto by Lakeshore Psychiatric Hospital, and elsewhere in southern Ontario by Brantford and Windsor, so that the reduction in hospital facilities and services is causing severe hardship to citizens of this province and is seriously threatening the level of health care the people of Ontario have a right to expect.

Mr. Speaker ruled that the motion was in order, and the House having unanimously agreed, the debate proceeded to conclusion.

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bills were read the second time:—

Bill 2, An Act respecting the County of Middlesex. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

Bill 7, An Act to amend The Milk Act. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

Bill 8, An Act to amend The Trees Act. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

Bill 20, An Act to amend The Residential Premises Rent Review Act, 1975 (2nd Session). *Ordered for Third Reading.*

The following Bill was read the third time and was passed:—

Bill 20, An Act to amend The Residential Premises Rent Review Act, 1975 (2nd Session).

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider certain Bills:—

After some time, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bill with a certain amendment:—

Bill 74, An Act to establish a Code of Procedure for Provincial Offences.

Also, that the Committee had directed him to report the following Bill without amendment:—

Bill 75, An Act to amend The Provincial Courts Act.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill 74, An Act to establish a Code of Procedure for Provincial Offences.

Bill 75, An Act to amend The Provincial Courts Act.

The House then adjourned at 9.50 p.m.

TENTH DAY

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 28TH, 1979

The following Committees met:—

The Select Committee on Ontario Hydro Affairs.

The Standing Administration of Justice Committee.

The Standing General Government Committee.

The Standing Resources Development Committee.

ELEVENTH DAY

THURSDAY, MARCH 29TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. McCague delivered to Mr. Speaker a message from the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor signed by her own hand, and the said message was read by Mr. Speaker and is as follows:—

PAULINE M. McGIBBON

The Lieutenant Governor transmits Estimates of certain sums required for the services of the Province for the year ending the 31st March, 1980 and recommends them to the Legislative Assembly.

Toronto, 29th March, 1979.

(Sessional Paper No. 3—Volume 3, 1979-80).

Ordered, That the message of the Lieutenant Governor, together with the Estimates accompanying the same, be referred to the Committee of Supply.

During the Question Period, the member for Grey-Bruce (Mr. Sargent) having refused to resume his seat when so directed,

Mr. Speaker directed him to withdraw from the service of the House for the balance of the day's sitting.

In accordance with Standing Order No. 33 (b), Mr. Lawlor tabled a petition requesting the referral of Sessional Paper No. 19, Compendium of background material on Bill 19, An Act to amend The Mental Health Act, tabled on March 2nd, 1978, to the Standing Social Development Committee.

Mr. Breaugh from the Standing Procedural Affairs Committee presented a Report as follows and moved its adoption:—

Your Committee has considered its Order of Reference dated October 24th, 1978 and recommends as follows:—

Once the order in which Estimates are to be considered is determined under the provisions of Standing Order 47, that order may be changed either by substantive motion, upon notice, or by unanimous consent.

On motion by Mr. Breaugh,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, Bill 2, An Act respecting the County of Middlesex, and Bill 7, An Act to amend The Milk Act, be discharged from the Committee of the Whole House and ordered for third reading.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, on Thursday, April 5th, Private Members' Public Business be set aside in order to resume the Debate on the amendment to the Motion for an Address in Reply to the Speech from the Throne.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, this House endorses the following schedule for committee meetings during this session:

The Social Development Committee may meet on the afternoons of Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays.

The Resources Development Committee may meet on the evenings of Tuesdays and Thursdays.

The General Government Committee may meet Tuesday afternoons and evenings for the sole purpose of completing Bill 163, and regularly Wednesday afternoons.

The Administration of Justice Committee may meet Thursday afternoons and Friday mornings.

On Wednesday mornings no more than two of the following committees may meet, unless authorized by the House:

General Government Committee
Resources Development Committee, or the
Administration of Justice Committee.

The following committees may meet on Thursday mornings:

Public Accounts Committee
Members' Services Committee
Procedural Affairs Committee, and the
Statutory Instruments Committee.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 29, An Act to provide for Municipal Hydro-Electric Services in The Regional Municipality of Niagara. *Mr. Auld.*

Bill 30, An Act to amend The York Municipal Hydro-Electric Services Act, 1978. *Mr. Auld.*

Bill 31, An Act to amend The Ontario Municipal Employees Retirement System Act. *Mr. Miller (Muskoka).*

Bill 32, An Act to amend The Audit Act, 1977. *Mr. Miller (Muskoka).*

Bill 33, An Act to amend The Agricultural Development Repeal Act, 1973. *Mr. Miller (Muskoka).*

Bill 34, An Act to amend The Business Corporations Act. *Mr. Drea.*

The Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 93 and 94 (*See Hansard*).

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill 2, An Act respecting the County of Middlesex.

Bill 7, An Act to amend The Milk Act.

Mr. Grande moved, seconded by Mr. Bounsall, That, in the opinion of this House, the Government should: (a) provide financial assistance to every school board that establishes or operates a full-day senior kindergarten program on the basis that each pupil enrolled in the full-day senior kindergarten program is a full-time pupil for the purpose of determining the amount of legislative grant; (b) establish, prior to September 1st, 1981, a maximum enrolment of twenty pupils for each class in grades 1, 2 and 3 of the elementary school program.

And a debate arising, at 4.47 p.m. further proceedings on the motion were reserved until 5.50 p.m. and:—

Mr. Rotenberg then moved, seconded by Mr. Watson, That in the opinion of this House, the Government should give immediate consideration to Legislation which would require the registration of lobbyists and a declaration by them stating in whose interests they are working.

And a debate arising, after some time,

Pursuant to Standing Order 64(e) the following members signified their objection to the putting of the question on Mr. Grande's Resolution (No. 2):

Auld	Havrot	Newman
Ashe	Henderson	(Durham York)
Belanger	Hodgson	Norton
Bernier	Johnson	Parrott
Birch	Kennedy	Ramsay
Brunelle	Lane	Sterling
Cureatz	Leluk	Walker
Elgie	MacBeth	Welch
Gregory	Maeck	Williams
		Wiseman—27.

And accordingly the question was not put.

Pursuant to Standing Order 64(e) no objection having been made to the putting of the question on Mr. Rotenberg's Resolution (No. 4) the question having been put was declared carried, and it was,

Resolved, That in the opinion of this House, the Government should give immediate consideration to Legislation which would require the registration of lobbyists and a declaration by them stating in whose interests they are working.

Mr. Speaker informed the House that, in the name of Her Majesty the Queen, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor had been pleased to assent to the following Bills in her Chambers:—

Bill 2, An Act respecting the County of Middlesex.

Bill 7, An Act to amend The Milk Act.

Bill 20, An Act to amend The Residential Premises Rent Review Act, 1975 (2nd Session).

Bill 74, An Act to establish a Code of Procedure for Provincial Offences.

Bill 75, An Act to amend The Provincial Courts Act.

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

On motion by Mr. Miller (Muskoka), seconded by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, the Treasurer of Ontario be authorized to pay the salaries of the civil servants and other necessary payments pending the voting of Supply for the period commencing April 1st, 1979, and ending June 30th, 1979, such payments to be charged to the proper appropriations following the voting of Supply.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee)

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1979, the following supplementary sums:—

MINISTRY OF COMMUNITY AND SOCIAL SERVICES

2802. To defray the expenses of the Social Resources Program . . . \$ 14,600,000

MINISTRY OF TREASURY AND ECONOMICS

1103A. To defray the expenses of the Economic Policy Program . . . \$ 4,690,000

And after some time,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had come to certain Resolutions also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The House then adjourned at 10.30 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Second Report of the Advisory Committee on Confederation—The Federal-Provincial Distribution of Powers (*No. 22*).

Letter to the Prime Minister of Canada from the Premier of Ontario re the Second Report of the Advisory Committee on Confederation (*No. 23*).

Responses to the Report of the Industrial Inquiry Commissioner concerning Grievance Arbitration under The Labour Relations Act and The Hospital Labour Disputes Arbitration Act re Bill 25, An Act to amend The Labour Relations Act (*No. 24*).

TWELFTH DAY

FRIDAY, MARCH 30TH, 1979

PRAYERS

10.00 O'CLOCK A.M.

Following the Question Period, Mr. Speaker delivered the following ruling:—

Yesterday, the honourable member for Lakeshore tabled what purported to be a petition pursuant to Standing Order 33, signed by twenty members, the purpose of which is to refer the compendium of background material on Bill 19 of last session, An Act to Amend the Mental Health Act, to the Standing Committee on Social Development.

I must point out to the honourable member and to the House, that the provision contained in clause (b) of Standing Order 33, for the referral of reports on petition of twenty members, applies only to statutory reports of ministries, and reports of boards and commissions and other agencies reporting to ministers, such reports being for the last reporting period. It does not apply to compendia even for the present session.

I must therefore rule the petition out of order.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee)

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1979, the following supplementary sums:—

MINISTRY OF NORTHERN AFFAIRS

903. To defray the expenses of the Regional Priorities and Development Program\$ 3,100,000

MINISTRY OF CORRECTIONAL SERVICES

1502. To defray the expenses of the Institutional Program\$ 2,800,000

MINISTRY OF NATURAL RESOURCES

2402. To defray the expenses of the Land Management Program ..\$ 4,975,000

MINISTRY OF HEALTH

3101. To defray the expenses of the Ministry Administration and Health Insurance Program\$ 66,000,000

And after some time,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had come to certain Resolutions.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Mr. MacBeth, from the Committee of Supply, reported the following Resolution which was concurred in by the House:—

Resolved, That Supply in the following supplementary amounts and to defray the expenses of the Government Ministries named, be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1979:—

MINISTRY OF NORTHERN AFFAIRS:

903. Regional Priorities and Development Program\$ 3,100,000

MINISTRY OF TREASURY AND ECONOMICS:

1103A. Economic Policy Program 4,690,000

MINISTRY OF CORRECTIONAL SERVICES:

1502. Institutional Program 2,800,000

MINISTRY OF NATURAL RESOURCES:

2402. Land Management Program 4,975,000

MINISTRY OF COMMUNITY AND SOCIAL SERVICES:

2802. Social Resources Program 14,600,000

MINISTRY OF HEALTH:

3101. Ministry Administration and Health Insurance Program 66,000,000

The House then adjourned at 1.10 p.m.

THIRTEENTH DAY

MONDAY, APRIL 2ND, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Amendment to the Motion for an Address in Reply to the Speech of the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The debate was resumed and, after some time, it was,

On motion by Mr. Gaunt,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

The House then adjourned at 6.00 p.m.

Sessional Paper:-

Ministry of Transportation and Communications Construction Program 1979-80
(No. 25).

FOURTEENTH DAY

TUESDAY, APRIL 3RD, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

In accordance with Standing Order No. 33(b) Mr. Lawlor tabled a petition requesting the referral of the Annual Report of the Ministry of Health for 1977-1978 to the Standing Committee on Social Development. (*Sessional Paper No. 28*).

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, the Estimates of the Ministry of Correctional Services stand referred to the Administration of Justice Committee for consideration not to exceed 10 hours.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:

Bill 35, An Act to amend The Insurance Act. *Mr. Nixon.*

Bill 36, An Act to declare the Application of certain Parts of The Employment Standards Act, 1974. *Mr. Mackenzie.*

Bill 37, An Act to amend The Labour Relations Act. *Mr. Stong.*

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Amendment to the Motion for an Address in Reply to the Speech of the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The debate was resumed.

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The debate continued and, after some time, it was,

On motion by Mr. Belanger,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

The House then adjourned at 10.25 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Statement by the Honourable James A. C. Auld, Minister of Energy to the Legislature concerning design differences between the Three Mile Island, Pennsylvania Light Water Nuclear Reactor and Ontario Hydro's Candu Heavy Water Reactor and Nuclear Regulation Safety Matters and related papers (*No. 26*).

Copy of Regulation to amend Regulation 557 of Revised Regulations of Ontario, 1970 made under The Legal Aid Act (*No. 27*).

FIFTEENTH DAY

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4TH, 1979

The following Committees met:—

The Standing Administration of Justice Committee.

The Standing General Government Committee.

SIXTEENTH DAY

THURSDAY, APRIL 5TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. McCague delivered to Mr. Speaker a message from the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor signed by her own hand, and the said message was read by Mr. Speaker and is as follows:—

PAULINE M. McGIBBON

The Lieutenant Governor transmits Estimates of certain sums required for the services of the Province for the year ending the 31st March, 1980 and recommends them to the Legislative Assembly.

Toronto, 5th April, 1979.

(*Sessional Paper No. 3—Volume 4, Part 1, 1979-80*).

Ordered, That the message of the Lieutenant Governor, together with the Estimates accompanying the same, be referred to the Committee of Supply.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 38, An Act to amend The Compensation for Victims of Crime Act, 1971. *Mr. Kennedy*.

Bill 39, An Act to amend The Workmen's Compensation Act. *Mr. Haggerty*.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 40, An Act for granting to Her Majesty certain additional sums of money for the Public Service for the fiscal year ending the 31st day of March, 1979. *Mr. Miller* (Muskoka).

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time forthwith.

The Bill was then read the second time.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time forthwith.

The Bill was then read the third time and was passed.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Amendment to the Motion for an Address in Reply to the Speech of the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The debate was resumed.

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The debate continued and, after some time, it was,

On motion by Mr. Blundy,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

The House then adjourned at 10.30 p.m.

SEVENTEENTH DAY

FRIDAY, APRIL 6TH, 1979

PRAYERS

10.00 O'CLOCK A.M.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:

Bill 41, An Act to amend The Ministry of Industry and Tourism Act, 1972. *Mr. Grossman*.

Bill 42, An Act to repeal The Sheridan Park Corporation Act. *Mr. Grossman*.

The Answer was tabled to Question No. 91 (*See Hansard*).

The Interim Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 97 and 98 (*See Hansard*).

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Amendment to the Motion for an Address in Reply to the Speech of the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The debate was resumed, after some time, it was,

On motion by Mr. Renwick,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

The House then adjourned at 1.00 p.m.

Sessional Paper:—

Order issued by the Securities Commission, authorizing the Winnipeg Commodity Exchange to trade prospectus-free its proposed call options on gold futures contracts (*No. 29*).

EIGHTEENTH DAY

MONDAY, APRIL 9TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, when the House adjourns on Thursday, April 12, it stand adjourned until 2.00 o'clock; Tuesday, April 17.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, the Standing Administration of Justice Committee be authorized to travel to Milton and Guelph to visit the Maplehurst Complex and the Guelph Correctional Centre on Wednesday, April 11, 1979 and that 2½ hours be credited against the time allocated for the estimates of the Ministry of Correctional Services and that the provisions of Section 66 of The Legislative Assembly Act be not applicable.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, the following estimates be referred to the committees in the following order:

To the Standing Administration of Justice Committee:

Correctional Services	10 hours
Consumer and Commercial Relations	20 hours
Attorney General	20 hours
Solicitor General	15 hours
Justice Policy	6 hours

To the Standing Resources Development Committee:

Transportation and Communications	20 hours
Agriculture and Food	20 hours
Natural Resources	16 hours
Environment	18 hours
Housing	10 hours
Industry and Tourism	15 hours
Labour	23 hours
Energy	15 hours
Resources Development Policy	5 hours

To the Standing Social Development Committee:

Culture and Recreation	10 hours
Health	20 hours
Community and Social Services	23 hours
Education, Colleges and Universities	32 hours
Social Development Policy	6 hours

To the General Government Committee:

Office of the Assembly	3 hours
Office of the Ombudsman	5 hours
Office of the Provincial Auditor	7 hours

To the Committee of Supply:

Government Services	7 hours
Northern Affairs	13 hours
Intergovernmental Affairs	15 hours
Management Board	5 hours
Lieutenant Governor, Cabinet, Premier	5 hours
Revenue	10 hours
Treasury	13 hours

Interim answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 100 to 103 Inclusive (See *Hansard*).

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the amendment to the Motion for an Address in Reply to the Speech of the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor at the opening of the Session, having been read,

The debate was resumed and, after some time,

The Amendment to the Motion as follows:—

That the Motion for an Address in Reply to the Speech of the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor now before the House be amended by adding thereto the following words:—

That this House deplores the government's policy of damaging cutbacks in services to people and its failure to manage adequately Ontario's economy, and in particular regrets the government's failure to maintain a universal and accessible health care system in Ontario, as exemplified by the severe cutbacks in active treatment hospital beds and the failure to deal with the problem of doctors opting out of OHIP; its failure to use the power of government to make multinational corporations in this province act in the best interest of Canadians; its failure to create job opportunities and to build a healthy industrial base that will make Ontario's economy self-reliant; its failure to protect consumers against unjustified increases in food prices; and its failure to put into place a balanced energy strategy reflecting Ontario's need for conservation and for energy sources additional to electricity and imported fuels; and that for all these reasons, this government no longer has the confidence of the House.

having been put, was lost on the following division:—

AYES

Bounsall
Breagh
Bryden
Cassidy
Charlton
Cook
Davidson
(Cambridge)

Di Santo
Dukszta
Foulds
Gigantes
Grande
Laughren
Lawlor
Lupusella

MacDonald
Mackenzie
Martel
McClellan
Philip
Warner
Wildman
Young
Ziemba—24.

NAYS

Auld
Baetz
Belanger
Bennett
Birch
Blundy
Breithaupt
Brunelle
Conway
Cunningham
Cureatz

Davis
Drea
Eakins
Elgie
Gaunt
Gregory
Grossman
Hall
Havrot
Henderson
Hennessy

Hodgson
Johnson
Jones
Kennedy
Kerr
Lane
Leluk
Maeck
Mancini
McCaffrey
McCague

NAYS—Continued

McKessock

McNeil

Miller

(Muskoka)

Newman

(Durham York)

Newman

(Windsor-Walkerville)

Nixon

Norton

O'Neil

Parrott

Peterson

Ramsay

Reed

(Halton-Burlington)

Reid

(Rainy River)

Rollins

Rowe

Ruston

Scrivener

Smith

(Hamilton West)

Smith

(Simcoe East)

Snow

Taylor

(Prince-Edward-Lennox)

Taylor

(Simcoe Centre)

Timbrell

Turner

Van Horne

Villeneuve

Walker

Watson

Welch

Wells

Williams

Wiseman

Worton

Yakabuski—67.

The main motion, having been put, was carried on the same vote reversed,

And it was,

Resolved, That an humble Address be presented to the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor as follows:

To the Honourable Pauline M. McGibbon, O.C., B.A., LL.D., D.U., D. Hum. L., B.A.A. (Theatre), Hon. F.R.C.P.S.(C), D. St. J, D.C.L.J., Lieutenant Governor of Ontario.

We, Her Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, now assembled, beg leave to thank Your Honour for the gracious Speech Your Honour has addressed to us.

Ordered, That the Address be engrossed and presented to the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor by those Members of this House who are Members of the Executive Council.

The House then adjourned at 6.17 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

1978 Annual Report of the Ontario Telephone Service Commission (*No. 30*).

Letter from the Minister of Health to Mr. Breaugh member for Oshawa re: questionnaire to evaluate H.S.O. services in all parts of Ontario (*No. 31*).

Letter from the Minister of Health to Mr. Van Horne member for London North re: Staffing of Ambulances in Ontario by Students (*No. 32*).

NINETEENTH DAY

TUESDAY, APRIL 10TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:

Bill 43, An Act to repeal The Fires Extinguishment Act. *Mr. Wells.*

Bill 44, An Act to repeal The Vacant Land Cultivation Act. *Mr. Wells.*

Bill 45, An Act to repeal The Fire Guardians Act. *Mr. Wells.*

Bill 46, An Act to amend The Local Improvement Act. *Mr. Wells.*

The Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 95, 96 and 99 (*See Hansard*).

The following Bills were read the second time:—

Bill 13, An Act to amend The Ministry of Transportation and Communications Act, 1971. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

Bill 14, An Act to amend The Statute Labour Act. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

Bill 15, An Act to amend The Local Roads Boards Act. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

Bill 16, An Act to amend The Airports Act. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

Bill 18, An Act to amend The Ontario Unconditional Grants Act, 1975. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill 13, An Act to amend The Ministry of Transportation and Communications Act, 1971.

Bill 14, An Act to amend The Statute Labour Act.

Bill 15, An Act to amend The Local Roads Boards Act.

Bill 16, An Act to amend The Airports Act.

Bill 18, An Act to amend The Ontario Unconditional Grants Act, 1975.

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Miller (Muskoka) moved, seconded by Mr. Davis, That this House approves in general the Budgetary policy of the Government, and in doing so presented his Budget and Budget papers. (*Sessional Paper No. 2*).

And a debate having ensued, it was on motion by Mr. Peterson,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

Mr. Miller (Muskoka) moved, seconded by Mr. Maeck that leave be given to introduce a Bill entitled An Act to repeal The Succession Duty Act (Bill 47), which motion was carried on the following division:—

AYES

Ashe	Kennedy	Rowe
Auld	Kerrio	Roy
Baetz	Lane	Ruston
Belanger	Leluk	Sargent
Bennett	MacBeth	Scrivener
Bernier	Maeck	Smith
Birch	Mancini	(Hamilton West)
Blundy	McCaffrey	Smith
Bradley	McCague	(Simcoe East)
Brunelle	McEwen	Snow
Campbell	McGuigan	Sterling
Conway	McKessock	Stong
Cureatz	McMurtry	Sweeney
Davis	McNeil	Taylor
Drea	Miller	(Prince Edward-Lennox)
Eakins	(Haldimand-Norfolk)	Taylor
Eaton	Miller	(Simcoe Centre)
Elgie	(Muskoka)	Timbrell
Epp	Newman	Turner
Gaunt	(Durham York)	Van Horne
Gregory	Nixon	Villeneuve
Grossman	Norton	Walker
Haggerty	O'Neil	Watson
Hall	Parrott	Welch
Havrot	Peterson	Wells
Henderson	Ramsay	Williams
Hennessy	Reed	Wiseman
Hodgson	(Halton-Burlington)	Worton
Jones	Riddell	Yakabuski—80.
	Rollins	

NAYS

Bounsall
Breagh
Bryden
Cassidy
Charlton
Cooke
Davidson
(Cambridge)

Davison
(Hamilton Centre)
Di Santo
Foulds
Germa
Gigantes
Grande
Laughren
Lawlor

Lupusella
MacDonald
Martel
McClellan
Philip
Samis
Swart
Wildman
Young—24.

And the Bill was accordingly read the first time.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 48, An Act to repeal The Gift Tax Act, 1972. *Mr. Miller* (Muskoka).

Bill 49, An Act respecting Small Business Development Corporations. *Mr. Miller* (Muskoka).

Bill 50, An Act to authorize the Raising of Money on the Credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund. *Mr. Miller* (Muskoka).

Bill 51, An Act to amend The Financial Administration Act. *Mr. Miller* (Muskoka).

Bill 52, An Act to amend The Mining Tax Act, 1972. *Mr. Auld*.

Bill 53, An Act to amend The Income Tax Act. *Mr. Maeck*.

Bill 54, An Act to amend The Motor Vehicle Fuel Tax Act. *Mr. Maeck*.

Bill 55, An Act to amend The Gasoline Tax Act, 1973. *Mr. Maeck*.

Bill 56, An Act to amend The Tobacco Tax Act. *Mr. Maeck*.

Bill 57, An Act to amend The Land Transfer Tax Act, 1974. *Mr. Maeck*.

Bill 58, An Act to amend The Retail Sales Tax Act. *Mr. Maeck*.

Bill 59, An Act to amend The Corporations Tax Act, 1972. *Mr. Maeck*.

The House then adjourned at 9.45 p.m.

Sessional Paper:—

Statement by the Minister of Energy to the Legislature concerning Nuclear Fuel Waste Management (No. 33).

TWENTIETH DAY

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11TH, 1979

The following Committees met:—

The Standing Administration of Justice Committee.

The Standing General Government Committee.

The Standing Resources Development Committee.

The Standing Social Development Committee.

TWENTY-FIRST DAY

THURSDAY, APRIL 12TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, the Select Committee on Hydro Affairs be allowed to sit concurrent with the House April 19, 20, 25, 26 and 27.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, notwithstanding the Orders of the House, Private Members' Public Business be considered the evening of Thursday, April 19, 1979.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, notwithstanding the orders of the House, the order of precedence for Private Members' Public Business be changed so that Mr. Watson's Ballot Item be listed and called for debate May 10 and Mr. Handleman's Ballot Item be listed and called for debate June 21.

Mr. Peterson moved Second Reading of Bill 11, An Act to amend The Family Benefits Act, and a debate arising, at 4.45 p.m. further proceedings on the motion were then reserved until 5.50 p.m. and:—

Mr. Renwick then moved, seconded by Ms. Gigantes,

That, in the opinion of this House, the Government should adopt policies and introduce legislation to require that the needs of physically handicapped persons be considered in the design and construction of residential housing, commercial development, transportation systems and, generally, all buildings and places to which the public is intended to be allowed access and that, in particular, the Government should enact regulations amending Part V of the Ontario Building Code to incorporate the recommendations of the Ontario Advisory Council on the Physically Handicapped.

And a debate arising, after some time,

Pursuant to Standing Order 64(e) the following members signified their objection to the question being put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 11, An Act to amend The Family Benefits Act, which question was decided in the negative, the following Members indicating their objection:

Ashe	Kerr	Rowe
Baetz	MacBeth	Smith
Belanger	Maeck	(Simcoe East)
Birch	McCaffrey	Taylor
Brunelle	McCague	(Simcoe Centre)
Cureatz	Newman	Villeneuve
Drea	(Durham York)	Walker
Gregory	Norton	Watson
Henderson	Parrott	Welch—26.
Kennedy	Rollins	

And accordingly the question was not put.

Pursuant to Standing Order 64(e) no objection having been made to the putting of the question on Mr. Renwick's Resolution (No. 6) the question having been put was declared carried, and it was,

Resolved, That, in the opinion of this House, the Government should adopt policies and introduce legislation to require that the needs of physically handicapped persons be considered in the design and construction of residential housing, commercial development, transportation systems and, generally, all buildings and places to which the public is intended to be allowed access and that, in particular, the Government should enact regulations amending Part V of the Ontario Building Code to incorporate the recommendations of the Ontario Advisory Council on the Physically Handicapped.

The House then adjourned at 5.53 p.m.

Sessional Paper:—

1979 Ontario Assistance to Local Governments (No. 34).

TWENTY-SECOND DAY

TUESDAY, APRIL 17TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. McCague delivered to Mr. Speaker a message from the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor signed by her own hand, and the said message was read by Mr. Speaker and is as follows:—

PAULINE M. MCGIBBON

The Lieutenant Governor transmits Estimates of certain sums required for the services of the Province for the year ending the 31st March, 1980 and recommends them to the Legislative Assembly.

Toronto, 17th April, 1979.

(Sessional Paper No. 3—Volume 4, 1979-80).

Ordered, That the message of the Lieutenant Governor, together with the Estimates accompanying the same, be referred to the Committee of Supply.

Mr. Speaker informed the House,

That the Clerk has received from the Chief Election Officer and laid upon the Table the following certificates of by-elections held since the last Session of the House:

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF SCARBOROUGH WEST—Richard Johnston.

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

This is to certify that, in view of a Writ of Election dated the Nineteenth day of February, 1979, issued by the Honourable Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Ontario, and addressed to Mrs. Muriel Neundorf, Returning Officer for the Electoral District of Scarborough West, for the election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District of Scarborough West in the Legislative Assembly of this Province in the room of Stephen Lewis, Esquire, who, since his election as representative of the said Electoral District of Scarborough West, has resigned his seat, Richard Johnston, Esquire, has been returned as duly elected as appears by the Return of the said Writ of Election, dated the Fourteenth day of April, 1979, which is now lodged of record in my office.

RODERICK LEWIS,
Chief Election Officer.

Toronto, April 17th, 1979.

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF WENTWORTH—Colin Isaacs.

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

This is to certify that, in view of a Writ of Election dated the Nineteenth day of February, 1979, issued by the Honourable Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Ontario, and addressed to Mrs. Mary Wiebe, Returning Officer for the Electoral District of Wentworth, for the election of a Member to represent the said Electoral District of Wentworth in the Legislative Assembly of this Province in the room of Ian Deans, Esquire, who, since his election as representative of the said Electoral District of Wentworth, has resigned his seat, Colin Isaacs, Esquire, has been returned as duly elected as appears by the Return of the said Writ of Election, dated the Fourteenth day of April, 1979, which is now lodged of record in my office.

RODERICK LEWIS,
Chief Election Officer.

Toronto, April 17th, 1979.

Richard Johnston, Esquire, Member for the Electoral District of Scarborough West and Colin Isaacs, Esquire Member for the Electoral District of Wentworth, having taken the Oath and subscribed the Roll, took their seats.

Mr. Philip from the Standing Administration of Justice Committee reported the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That Supply in the following amounts and to defray the expenses of the Ministry of Correctional Services be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980:—

MINISTRY OF CORRECTIONAL SERVICES:

Ministry Administration Program	\$ 6,204,100
Institutional Program	105,365,000
Community Program	19,857,000

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, Mr. Cureatz be substituted for Mr. McNeil on the Select Committee on Ontario Hydro Affairs.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 60, An Act to amend The Funeral Services Act, 1976. *Mr. Foulds.*

Bill 61, An Act respecting the Public Accountability of Ontario Hydro. *Mr. Reed* (Halton-Burlington).

Bill 62, An Act to amend The Employment Standards Act, 1974. *Mr. Breagh.*

The Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 58, 104 and 105 (*See Hansard*).

The Interim Answer was tabled to Question No. 113 (*See Hansard*).

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the motion, That this House approves in general the Budgetary policy of the Government, having been read,

The debate was resumed, and, after some time,

On motion by Mr. Laughren,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

The Honourable the Lieutenant Governor of the Province entered the Chamber of the Legislative Assembly and took her seat upon the Throne.

Mr. Speaker addressed Her Honour in the following words:—

“May it please Your Honour:

The Legislative Assembly of the Province has at its present Sittings thereof passed certain Bills to which, in the name and on behalf of the said Legislative Assembly, I respectfully request Your Honour’s Assent.”

The Clerk Assistant then read the titles of the Bills that had passed as follows:—

“The following are the titles of the Bills to which Your Honour’s Assent is prayed:

Bill 13, An Act to amend The Ministry of Transportation and Communications Act, 1971.

Bill 14, An Act to amend The Statute Labour Act.

Bill 15, An Act to amend The Local Roads Boards Act.

Bill 16, An Act to amend The Airports Act.

Bill 18, An Act to amend The Ontario Unconditional Grants Act, 1975."

To these Acts the Royal Assent was announced by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly in the following words:

"In Her Majesty's name, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor doth assent to these bills."

Mr. Speaker then said:—

"MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

We, Her Majesty's most dutiful and faithful subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, in Session assembled, approach Your Honour with sentiments of unfeigned devotion and loyalty to Her Majesty's person and Government, and humbly beg to present for Your Honour's acceptance a Bill intituled, "An Act for granting to Her Majesty certain additional sums of money for the Public Service for the fiscal year ending the 31st day of March, 1979."

To this Act the Royal Assent was announced by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly in the following words:—

"The Honourable the Lieutenant Governor doth thank Her Majesty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, accept their benevolence and assent to this Bill in Her Majesty's name."

Her Honour was then pleased to retire.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply, to consider Estimates of the Ministry of Government Services.

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

and after some time,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported progress, also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The House then adjourned at 10.30 p.m.

Sessional Paper:—

Ministry of Government Services Design and Construction Program 1979/80
(No. 35).

TWENTY-THIRD DAY

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 18TH, 1979

The following Committees met:—

The Standing Administration of Justice Committee.

The Standing General Government Committee.

The Standing Resources Development Committee.

TWENTY-FOURTH DAY

THURSDAY, APRIL 19TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Philip from the Standing Administration of Justice Committee presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill with certain amendments:—

Bill Pr2, An Act to revive Portuguese Club of London Inc., the title of which is amended to read "An Act to revive Portuguese Club of London Incorporated".

Your Committee would recommend that the fees, less the actual cost of printing, be remitted on the said Bill.

Mr. Gaunt from the Standing Social Development Committee reported the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That Supply in the following amounts and to defray the expenses of the Ministry of Culture and Recreation be granted to Her Majesty for the Fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980:—

MINISTRY OF CULTURE AND RECREATION:

Ministry Administration Program	\$ 7,611,300
Heritage Conservation Program	18,735,700
Arts Support Program	38,603,000
Citizenship and Multicultural Support Program	8,923,500
Libraries and Community Information Program	43,436,200
Sports and Fitness Program	20,714,000
Ministry Capital Support Program	51,157,100

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, the Standing Resources Development Committee be authorized to travel to Kingston to visit the Urban Transportation Development Corporation test site on Wednesday April 25, 1979 and that 2½ hours be deducted from the time allocated for the estimates of the Ministry of Transportation and Communications and that provisions of Section 66 of The Legislative Assembly Act be not applicable.

A Return was tabled to Question No. 115 (*Sessional Paper No. 36*).

The Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 111, 112, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 124 and 125. (*See Hansard*).

The Interim Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 114, 116, 122, 123, 126 and 127. (*See Hansard*).

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 63, An Act respecting Simcoe Day. *Mr. Smith* (Simcoe East).

Bill 64, An Act to amend The Legislative Assembly Act. *Mr. Breithaupt*.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the motion That this House approves in general the Budgetary policy of the Government, having been read,

The debate was resumed, and, after some time,

Mr. Laughren moved, seconded by Mr. Wildman,

That all of the words after "That" be struck out and the following be substituted therefore:—

This House deplores the government's failure to recognize the seriousness of the unemployment problem in Ontario by providing any full-time jobs; rejects the increase

in OHIP premiums and other regressive taxes while doing nothing to protect consumers against rising prices; condemns the lack of commitment to rebuilding any specific industry within our manufacturing sector, and the failure to attach any performance and employment guarantees to its employment development fund; opposes the continued giveaways of our mineral resources; and finally, condemns the shift of the costs of education and social services to municipalities, and for these reasons, the government no longer enjoys the confidence of this House.

On motion by Mr. McCague,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee)

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980, the following sum:—

MINISTRY OF GOVERNMENT SERVICES

501. To defray the expenses of the Ministry Administration Program \$ 5,271,800

And after some time,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had come to a certain Resolution also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. MacBeth moved, seconded by Mr. Cureatz,

That, in the opinion of this House, Ontario should seek more distinctive separation of responsibilities and powers between the federal and provincial jurisdictions in future Federal-Provincial discussions concerning the British North America Act; that, while recognizing the need for Provincial equalization payments, exclusive fields of taxation should be defined so that each government may finance its own responsibilities without subsidization from another; and further that provisions should be made for this principle to be extended to municipal governments.

And a debate arising, at 9.10 p.m. further proceedings on the motion were then reserved until 10.20 p.m. and:—

Mr. Stong then moved Second Reading of Bill 28, An Act to Protect the Reputation of Innocent Persons from Untimely Publicity.

And a debate arising, after some time,

Pursuant to Standing Order 64(e) no objection having been made to the putting of the question on Mr. MacBeth's Resolution (No. 7) the question having been put was declared carried, and it was,

Resolved, That, in the opinion of this House, Ontario should seek more distinctive separation of responsibilities and powers between the federal and provincial jurisdictions in future Federal-Provincial discussions concerning the British North America Act; that, while recognizing the need for Provincial equalization payments, exclusive fields of taxation should be defined so that each government may finance its own responsibilities without subsidizations from another; and further that provision should be made for this principle to be extended to municipal governments.

Pursuant to Standing Order 64(e) no objection having been made to the putting of the question on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 28, An Act to Protect the Reputation of Innocent Persons from Untimely Publicity, the motion having been put, was lost on the following division:—

AYES

Blundy
Bradley
Campbell
Cunningham
Eakins
Haggerty
Hall
Kerrio

McCague
McGuigan
Miller
(Haldimand-Norfolk)
Newman
(Windsor-Walkerville)
Norton
Pope

Reed
(Halton-Burlington)
Reid
(Rainy River)
Stong
Sweeney
Williams—19.

NAYS

Auld
Baetz
Belanger
Bernier
Bounsall
Breagh
Bryden
Cooke
Cureatz
Davison
(Hamilton Centre)
Drea
Edighoffer

Epp
Gregory
Havrot
Johnson
(Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)
Lane
Lawlor
Lupusella
MacBeth
Mackenzie
Maeck
Martel
McCaffrey

McNeil
Newman
(Durham-York)
Philip
Sterling
Taylor
(Prince Edward-Lennox)
Turner
Villeneuve
Warner
Watson
Wiseman—34

The House then adjourned at 10.35 p.m.

TWENTY-FIFTH DAY

FRIDAY, APRIL 20TH, 1979

PRAYERS

10.00 O'CLOCK A.M.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, Bill Pr3, An Act respecting Young People's Theatre and Bill Pr4, An Act respecting the Financing of The Huronia District Hospital, be withdrawn from the Standing General Government Committee and be referred to the Administration of Justice Committee.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 65, An Act to amend The Election Act. *Mr. Leluk.*

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee)

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980, the following sums:—

MINISTRY OF GOVERNMENT SERVICES

502.	To defray the expenses of the Provision of Accommodation Program	\$ 140,262,100
503.	To defray the expenses of the Upkeep of Accommodation Program	66,215,100

And after some time,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had come to certain Resolutions also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The House then adjourned at 1.00 p.m.

TWENTY-SIXTH DAY

MONDAY, APRIL 23RD, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. McCague delivered to Mr. Speaker a message from the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor signed by her own hand, and the said message was read by Mr. Speaker and is as follows:—

PAULINE M. MCGIBBON

The Lieutenant Governor transmits Estimates of certain sums required for the services of the Province for the year ending the 31st March, 1980 and recommends them to the Legislative Assembly.

Toronto, 23rd April, 1979.

(*Sessional Paper No. 3—Volume 5, Part 2, 1979-80*).

Ordered, That the message of the Lieutenant Governor, together with the Estimates accompanying the same, be referred to the Committee of Supply.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 66, An Act to acquire the Assets of Inco Limited. *Mr. Martel*.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the Motion for adoption of the March 29th Report of the Standing Procedural Affairs Committee having been read and a debate arising after some time, the motion for adoption of the Report was carried, and the Report was adopted as follows:—

Your Committee has considered its Order of Reference dated October 24th, 1978 and recommends as follows:—

Once the order in which Estimates are to be considered is determined under the provisions of Standing Order 47, that order may be changed either by substantive motion, upon notice, or by unanimous consent.

A Return was tabled to Question No. 116 (*Sessional Paper No. 39*).

The Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 129 to 136 Inclusive (*See Hansard*).

The Interim Answer was tabled to Question No. 128 (*See Hansard*).

The following Bill was read the second time:—

Bill Pr2, An Act to revive Portuguese Club of London Incorporated. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

The following Bill was read the third time and passed:—

Bill Pr2, An Act to revive Portuguese Club of London Incorporated.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee)

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980, the following sums:—

MINISTRY OF GOVERNMENT SERVICES

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| 504. | To defray the expenses of the Supply and Services Program . | \$ 47,705,000 |
| 505. | To defray the expenses of the Communications and Computer Services Program | 12,320,800 |

And after some time,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had come to certain Resolutions also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The House then adjourned at 6.00 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Documents tabled by the Minister of Government Services relating to the purchase and subsequent resale to the Italian-Canadian Benevolent Corporation of certain properties at 3044 Dufferin Street and Lawrence Avenue (*No. 37*).

73rd Annual Report of The Ontario Municipal Board for the year ended December 31st 1978 (*No. 38*).

TWENTY-SEVENTH DAY

TUESDAY, APRIL 24TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 67, An Act to amend The Public Health Act. *Mr. Gaunt.*

Bill 68, An Act to amend The Local Roads Boards Act. *Mr. Wildman.*

Bill 69, An Act to provide for the Disclosure of Information relating to the Financial Cost and Economic Impact of Government Programs. *Mr. Van Horne.*

A Return was tabled to Question No. 17 (*Sessional Paper No. 41*).

The Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 43, 49, 51, 52, 73, 77, 78, 79 and 80. (*See Hansard*).

The Interim Answer was tabled to Question No. 137 (*See Hansard*).

The following Bills were read the second time:—

Bill 25, An Act to amend The Labour Relations Act. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

Bill 41, An Act to amend The Ministry of Industry and Tourism Act, 1972. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

Bill 53, An Act to amend The Income Tax Act. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

Bill 56, An Act to amend The Tobacco Tax Act. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill 41, An Act to amend The Ministry of Industry and Tourism Act, 1972.

Bill 53, An Act to amend The Income Tax Act.

Bill 56, An Act to amend The Tobacco Tax Act.

Mr. Maeck moved Second Reading of Bill 54, An Act to amend The Motor Vehicle Fuel Tax Act, and after some time, the motion having been put, was carried on the following division:—

AYES

Belanger	Kerr	Rotenberg
Bernier	Kerrio	Rowe
Blundy	Lane	Roy
Bradley	Leluk	Ruston
Breithaupt	Maeck	Scrivener
Brunelle	Mancini	Smith
Campbell	McCaffrey	(Hamilton West)
Conway	McGuigan	Smith
Cunningham	McNeil	(Simcoe East)
Cureatz	Miller	Snow
Drea	(Haldimand-Norfolk)	Stephenson
Eakins	Miller	Sterling
Eaton	(Muskoka)	Stong
Elgie	Newman	Sweeney
Epp	(Windsor-Walkerville)	Taylor
Gaunt	Nixon	(Simcoe Centre)
Gregory	Norton	Van Horne
Haggerty	O'Neil	Villeneuve
Hall	Parrott	Walker
Havrot	Peterson	Watson
Hennessy	Pope	Welch
Hodgson	Ramsay	Wells
Johnson	Reed	Williams
(Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)	(Halton-Burlington)	Worton—66.
Jones	Riddell	

NAYS

Bounsall	Germa	Mackenzie
Bryden	Gigantes	Makarchuk
Charlton	Grande	McClellan
Cooke	Isaacs	Philip
Davidson	Johnston	Renwick
(Cambridge)	(Scarborough West)	Samis
Davison	Laughren	Swart
(Hamilton Centre)	Lawlor	Warner
Di Santo	Lupusella	Wildman
Duksza	MacDonald	Ziemba—28
Foulds		

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bill was read the second time:—

Bill 19, An Act to amalgamate the Ministry of Colleges and Universities and the Ministry of Education. More than 20 members standing in their places pursuant to Standing Order 56(c) the Bill was accordingly *Ordered referred to the Standing Administration of Justice Committee.*

The House then adjourned at 10.30 p.m.

Sessional Paper:—

Report of The Aqueous Chlorination of Biphenyl—Possibilities for PCB Production in Sewage Treatment Plants (*No. 40*).

TWENTY-EIGHTH DAY

WEDNESDAY APRIL 25TH, 1979

The following Committees met:—

The Select Committee on Ontario Hydro Affairs.

The Standing General Government Committee.

The Standing Resources Development Committee.

The Standing Social Development Committee.

TWENTY-NINTH DAY

THURSDAY, APRIL 26TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Villeneuve from the Standing Resources Development Committee reported the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That Supply in the following amounts and to defray the expenses of the Ministry of Transportation and Communications be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980:—

MINISTRY OF TRANSPORTATION AND COMMUNICATIONS:

Ministry Administration Program	\$ 31,286,000
Planning, Research and Development Program	19,714,000
Safety and Regulation Program	42,697,000
Provincial Roads Program	429,190,000
Provincial Transit Program	63,535,000
Air Program	4,289,000
Municipal Roads Program	386,423,000
Municipal Transit Program	154,858,000
Communications Program	2,076,000

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 70, An Act to amend The Education Act, 1974. *Mr. Stong.*

Bill 71, An Act to amend The Ontario Heritage Act, 1974. *Mr. Baetz.*

The Interim Answer was tabled to Question No. 138 (*See Hansard*).

Mr. Davison (Hamilton Centre) moved, seconded by Mr. Swart, That, in the opinion of this House, the Government should introduce legislation to create an Ontario Food Prices Review Board to protect consumers from unjustified, unfair or excessive increases in the price of food. The Board should consist of five members. The staff of the Board should be seconded from Ministries and Agencies of the Ontario Government and the Board should be able to engage on a temporary basis the services of persons having technical or specialized knowledge to advise and assist it. The Board should have the power: (a) to investigate, on its own motion or on complaint, costs, prices, profits and practices of any person or corporation engaged in the storage, processing, transportation, refrigeration, packaging, wholesaling and retailing of any food where a price increase has occurred, or where the Board is of the opinion that a price increase is about to occur; (b) to inspect and examine any or all books, records and materials in the possession or control of any person engaged in the activities set forth in (a) and to require any other information from such a person that the Board considers necessary; (c) to delay any increases in the prices of foods where an investigation by the Board is in progress. Where, after making an investigation, the Board is of the opinion that a price increase is unjustified or unfair or excessive, the Board should have the power to order a roll-back, or where the price increase has not yet taken place, to order that the price increase not take place. Persons affected by an order of the Board should have a right of appeal to the Commercial Registration Appeal Tribunal. The Board should report on its activities at least quarterly and that report should be tabled in the Legislative Assembly.

And a debate arising, at 4.35 p.m. further proceedings on the motion were reserved until 5.50 p.m. and:—

Mr. Johnson (Wellington-Dufferin-Peel) then moved, seconded by Mr. Kerr, That, in the opinion of this House, the Government of Ontario give consideration, through the appropriate ministries, to providing legislation enabling mentally retarded adults attending provincially recognized training centres to be transported on local school buses and that flashing warning lights be used when they are embarking and disembarking, and that the cost for this service be arranged between the local school board, the bus line operator, and the parents or guardian of the mentally retarded adult.

And a debate arising, after some time,

Pursuant to Standing Order 64(e) the following members signified their objection to the putting of the question on Mr. Davison's (Hamilton Centre) Resolution (No. 9):

Ashe	Hodgson	Parrott
Baetz	Johnson	Ramsay
Belanger	(Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)	Rotenberg
Bernier	Lane	Rowe
Birch	Maeck	Stephenson
Drea	McCaffrey	Sterling
Gregory	McCague	Villeneuve
Grossman	Newman	Watson
Havrot	(Durham York)	Welch
Henderson	Norton	Williams—28.

And accordingly the question was not put.

Pursuant to Standing Order 64(e) no objection having been made to the putting of the question on Mr. Johnson's (Wellington-Dufferin-Peel) Resolution (No. 8) the question having been put was declared carried, and it was,

Resolved, That in the opinion of this House, the Government of Ontario give consideration, through the appropriate ministries, to providing legislation enabling mentally retarded adults attending provincially recognized training centres to be transported on local school buses and that flashing warning lights be used when they are embarking and disembarking, and that the cost for this service be arranged between the local school board, the bus line operator, and the parents or guardian of the mentally retarded adult.

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 55, An Act to amend The Gasoline Tax Act, 1973.

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The debate continued, and after some time, was concluded.

A debate then arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 57, An Act to amend The Land Transfer Tax Act, 1974, and after some time, was concluded.

The motion for Second Reading of Bill 55, An Act to amend The Gasoline Tax Act, 1973, was then carried on the following division:—

AYES

Ashe
Auld
Baetz
Belanger
Bennett
Bernier
Birch
Bolan
Breithaupt
Campbell
Conway
Cunningham
Cureatz
Drea
Eakins
Gaunt
Gregory
Grossman
Haggerty
Havrot

Henderson
Johnson
(Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)
Jones
Kerrio
Lane
Maeck
McCaffrey
McCague
McKessock
McNeil
Miller
(Haldimand-Norfolk)
Newman
(Durham-York)
Nixon
Norton
Parrott
Peterson

Ramsay
Riddell
Rotenberg
Rowe
Ruston
Snow
Stephenson
Sterling
Stong
Sweeney
Taylor
(Simcoe Centre)
Timbrell
Van Horne
Villeneuve
Watson
Welch
Wells
Williams—54.

NAYS

Bounsall
Breaugh
Charlton
Cooke
Davidson
(Cambridge)
Davison
(Hamilton Centre)

Di Santo
Dukszta
Germa
Grande
Johnson
(Scarborough West)
Laughren

Mackenzie
McClellan
Philip
Renwick
Samis
Warner
Ziemba—19.

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and *Ordered for Third Reading.*

The motion for Second Reading of Bill 57, An Act to amend The Land Transfer Tax Act, 1974 was also carried on the same vote, and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House*.

The following Bill was read the third time and was passed:—

Bill 55, An Act to amend The Gasoline Tax Act, 1973.

The House then Adjourned at 10.35 p.m.

Sessional Paper:—

Statistics re Industrial and Construction Apprentices tabled by the Minister of Education. (No. 42).

THIRTIETH DAY

FRIDAY, APRIL 27TH, 1979

PRAYERS

10.00 O'CLOCK A.M.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the amendment to the motion, That this House approves in general the Budgetary policy of the Government, having been read,

The debate was resumed, and, after some time,

On motion by Mr. Warner,

Ordered, That, the debate be adjourned.

The House then adjourned at 1.00 p.m.

THIRTY-FIRST DAY

MONDAY, APRIL 30TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 8, 10, 20, 23, 26, 27, 28, 29, 31, 34, 36, 40, 42, 45, 60, 65, 67, 74, 76, 82, 84, 87, 100, 102 and 103 (*See Hansard*).

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the amendment to the motion, That this House approves in general the Budgetary policy of the Government, having been read,

The debate was resumed, and, after some time,

On motion by Mr. Swart,

Ordered, That the debate be Adjourned.

The House then adjourned at 6.00 p.m.

THIRTY-SECOND DAY

TUESDAY, MAY 1ST, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, the Select Committee on Hydro Affairs be authorized to sit concurrently with the House on Thursday and Friday of this week.

A Return was tabled to Question No. 137 (*Sessional Paper No. 44*).

The Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 9, 11, 12, 13, 16, 18, 19, 21, 22, 24, 25, 32, 35, 37, 39, 44, 46, 47, 48, 50, 53 to 57, 66, 68 to 72, 75, 81, 83, 85, 88, 101, 128, 139 and 140 (*See Hansard*).

The following Bills were read the second time:—

Bill 29, An Act to provide for Municipal Hydro-Electric Service in The Regional Municipality of Niagara. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

Bill 30, An Act to amend The York Municipal Hydro-Electric Service Act, 1978. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

Bill 42, An Act to repeal The Sheridan Park Corporation Act. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill 30, An Act to amend The York Municipal Hydro-Electric Service Act, 1978. *Mr. Auld.*

Bill 42, An Act to repeal The Sheridan Park Corporation Act.

Debate on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 52, An Act to amend The Mining Tax Act, 1972 was adjourned.

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 58, An Act to amend The Retail Sales Tax Act.

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The debate continued, and after some time, the motion carried, and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

Debate on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 59, An Act to amend The Corporations Tax Act, 1972 was adjourned.

The House then adjourned at 10.30 p.m.

Sessional Paper:—

The Niagara Parks Commission Ninety-Second Annual Report 1978. (*No. 43*).

THIRTY-THIRD DAY

WEDNESDAY, MAY 2ND, 1979

The following Committees met:—

The Standing General Government Committee.

The Standing Resources Development Committee.

The Standing Social Development Committee.

THIRTY-FOURTH DAY

THURSDAY, MAY 3RD, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Speaker informed the House that, in the name of Her Majesty the Queen, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor had been pleased to assent to the following Bills in her Chambers:—

Bill 30 An Act to amend The York Municipal Hydro-Electric Service Act, 1978.

Bill 41, An Act to amend The Ministry of Industry and Tourism Act, 1972.

Bill 42, An Act to repeal The Sheridan Park Corporation Act.

Bill 53, An Act to amend The Income Tax Act.

Bill 55, An Act to amend The Gasoline Tax Act, 1973.

Bill 56, An Act to amend The Tobacco Tax Act.

Bill Pr2, An Act to revive Portuguese Club of London Incorporated.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 72, An Act to amend The Theatres Act. *Mr. Drea.*

Bill 73, An Act to amend The Prearranged Funeral Services Act. *Mr. Drea.*

Bill 76, An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act. *Mr. Swart.*

The following Bill was introduced, read the first time and referred to the Standing Administration of Justice Committee:—

Bill Pr11, An Act to revive Delila Construction Limited. *Mr. Jones.*

A Return was tabled to Question No. 138 (*Sessional Paper No. 48*).

A Return was tabled to Question No. 163 (*Sessional Paper No. 49*).

The Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 97, 98, 106 to 110 incl., 126, 127, 154 to 162 incl. (*See Hansard*).

The Interim Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 141 to 153 incl. (*See Hansard*).

Mr. Reed (Halton-Burlington) moved Second Reading of Bill 61, An Act respecting the Public Accountability of Ontario Hydro and a debate arising, at 4.40 p.m. further proceedings on the motion were reserved until 5.50 p.m. and:—

Mr. Foulds then moved Second Reading of Bill 60, An Act to amend The Funeral Services Act, 1976 and a debate arising, after some time,

Pursuant to Standing Order 64(e) the following members signified their objection to the question being put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 61, An Act respecting the Public Accountability of Ontario Hydro:

Ashe
Baetz
Bennett
Brunelle
Drea
Eaton
Gregory
Henderson
Hodgson
Johnson
(Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)
Jones

Kennedy
McCaffrey
McCague
McNeil
Newman
(Durham York)
Norton
Parrott
Ramsay
Rollins
Rowe
Scrivener

Smith
(Simcoe East)
Stephenson
Taylor
(Simcoe Centre)
Timbrell
Villeneuve
Walker
Watson
Welch
Wiseman—31.

And accordingly the question was not put.

Pursuant to Standing Order 64(e) no objection having been made to the putting of the question on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 60, An Act to amend The Funeral Services Act, the motion having been put, was lost on the following division:—

AYES

Breaugh
Cassidy
Charlton
Davidson
(Cambridge)
Davison
(Hamilton Centre)

Foulds
Germa
Hennessy
Issaacs
Laughren
MacDonald

Makarchuk
Samis
Warner
Wildman
Young—16.

NAYS

Ashe
Baetz
Belanger
Bennett
Blundy
Bradley
Breithaupt
Brunelle
Campbell
Conway
Cunningham
Cureatz
Drea
Eakins
Eaton
Edighoffer
Epp
Gaunt
Gregory
Haggerty
Hall
Havrot
Henderson
Hodgson

Johnson
(Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)
Jones
Kennedy
Kerr
Kerrio
Lane
MacBeth
Mancini
McCaffrey
McCague
McKessock
McMurtry
McNeil
Newman
(Durham-York)
Nixon
Norton
O'Neil
Parrott
Ramsay
Reed
(Halton-Burlington)
Reid
(Rainy River)

Rollins
Rotenberg
Rowe
Ruston
Sargent
Scrivener
Smith
(Hamilton West)
Smith
(Simcoe East)
Stephenson
Sterling
Taylor
(Simcoe Centre)
Timbrell
Turner
Villeneuve
Walker
Watson
Welch
Wells
Williams
Wiseman
Worton—66.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the amendment to the motion, That this House approves in general the Budgetary policy of the Government, having been read,

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The debate was resumed, and, after some time,

On motion by Mr. Havrot,

Ordered, That the debate be Adjourned.

The House then adjourned at 10.30 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Compendium of background material re: Bill 72, An Act to amend The Theatres Act. (No. 45).

Compendium of background material re: Bill 73, An Act to amend The Pre-arranged Funeral Services Act. (No. 46).

Petition presented by the Member for Bellwoods (Mr. McClellan) re: Ministry of Community and Social Services Offices in Kirkland Lake and Timmins. (No. 47).

THIRTY-FIFTH DAY

FRIDAY, MAY 4TH, 1979

PRAYERS

10.00 O'CLOCK A.M.

Mr. Philip from the Standing Administration of Justice Committee presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill Pr4, An Act respecting the Financing of The Huronia District Hospital.

Bill Pr6, An Act respecting the Village of Cookstown.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 77, An Act to amend The Crown Timber Act. *Mr. Brunelle.*

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the amendment to the motion, That this House approves in general the Budgetary policy of the Government, having been read,

The debate was resumed, and, after some time,

On motion by Mr. Renwick,

Ordered, That the debate be Adjourned.

The House then adjourned at 1.00 p.m.

Sessional Paper:

Compendium of background material re: Bill 77, An Act to amend The Crown Timber Act. (No. 50).

THIRTY-SIXTH DAY

MONDAY, MAY 7TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 78, An Act to amend The Statute Labour Act. *Mr. Wildman.*

Bill 79, An Act respecting Election Public Opinion Polls. *Mr. Samis.*

The Answer was tabled to Question No. 30 (*See Hansard*).

The Interim Answer was tabled to Question No. 166 (*See Hansard*).

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the amendment to the motion, That this House approves in general the Budgetary policy of the Government, having been read,

The debate was resumed, and, after some time,

On motion by Mr. Williams,

Ordered, That the debate be Adjourned.

The House then adjourned at 6.00 p.m.

THIRTY-SEVENTH DAY

TUESDAY, MAY 8TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 80, An Act to amend The Veterinarians Act. *Mr. Newman* (Durham-York).

Bill 81, An Act to amend The Hunter Damage Compensation Act. *Mr. Newman* (Durham-York).

Bill 82, An Act to amend The Dog Licensing and Live Stock and Poultry Protection Act. *Mr. Newman* (Durham-York).

Bill 83, An Act respecting the Purchase of Goods and Services by the Government on Ontario and Government-supported Institutions. *Mr. Makarchuk*.

The following Bills were introduced, read the first time and referred to the Standing Administration of Justice Committee:—

Bill Pr1, An Act respecting the Town of Niagara-on-the-Lake. *Mr. Kerrio*.

Bill Pr12, An Act respecting the Borough of East York. *Mr. Johnson* (Wellington-Dufferin-Peel).

Bill Pr13, An Act respecting Massey Hall. *Mrs. Scrivener*.

Debate on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 59, An Act to amend The Corporations Tax Act, 1972, was resumed, and after some time, the motion was carried on the following division:—

AYES

Ashe
Auld
Belanger
Bennett
Bernier
Birch
Blundy
Bradley
Breithaupt
Campbell
Conway

Cunningham
Drea
Eakins
Eaton
Epp
Gaunt
Gregory
Hall
Havrot
Hennessy
Hodgson

Johnson
(Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)
Jones
Kennedy
Kerr
Kerrio
Lane
Leluk
Maeck
Mancini
McCaffrey

AYES—Continued

McGuigan
McNeil
Miller
(Haldimand-Norfolk)
Miller
(Muskoka)
Newman
(Durham-York)
Newman
(Windsor-Walkerville)
Nixon
Norton
O'Neil
Peterson
Ramsay

Reed
(Halton-Burlington)
Reid
(Rainy River)
Riddell
Rollins
Rotenberg
Rowe
Roy
Ruston
Scrivener
Smith
(Hamilton West)
Stephenson
Sterling

Stong
Taylor
(Prince Edward-Lennox)
Taylor
(Simcoe Centre)
Timbrell
Turner
Van Horne
Villeneuve
Walker
Watson
Wiseman
Worton
Yakabuski—67.

NAYS

Bounsall
Breough
Bryden
Cassidy
Charlton
Davidson
(Cambridge)
Davison
(Hamilton Centre)
Di Santo
Dukszta

Foulds
Germa
Gigantes
Grande
Isaacs
Johnston
(Scarborough West)
Laughren
Lawlor
Lupusella
MacDonald

Mackenzie
Markarchuk
Martel
McClellan
Philip
Renwick
Samis
Swart
Warner
Wildman
Ziemba—30.

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider certain Bills,

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

After some time therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report progress on the following Bills:—

Bill 54, An Act to amend The Motor Vehicle Fuel Tax Act.

Bill 57, An Act to amend The Land Transfer Tax Act, 1974.

Bill 58, An Act to amend The Retail Sales Tax Act.

Bill 59, An Act to amend The Corporations Tax Act, 1972.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 47, An Act to repeal The Succession Duty Act, and after some time the motion was carried on the following division:—

AYES

Ashe	Johnson	Parrott
Auld	(Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)	Peterson
Belanger	Kennedy	Ramsay
Bennett	Kerr	Riddell
Bernier	Kerrio	Rotenberg
Birch	Lane	Rowe
Campbell	Maeck	Roy
Conway	Mancini	Ruston
Cunningham	McCaffrey	Scrivener
Cureatz	McCague	Snow
Drea	McGuigan	Stephenson
Eakins	McKessock	Sterling
Eaton	McMurtry	Taylor
Elgie	McNeil	(Simcoe Centre)
Epp	Miller	Timbrell
Gaunt	(Haldimand-Norfolk)	Turner
Gregory	Miller	Van Horne
Grossman	(Muskoka)	Villeneuve
Haggerty	Newman	Walker
Havrot	(Durham-York)	Watson
Henderson	Newman	Welch
Hennessy	(Windsor-Walkerville)	Williams
Hodgson	Nixon	Wiseman
	Norton	Worton—65.

NAYS

Bounsall	Isaacs	Makarchuk
Bryden	Johnston	Martel
Charlton	(Scarborough West)	McClellan
Cooke	Laughren	Philip
Davidson	Lawlor	Samis
(Cambridge)	Lupusella	Swart
Germa	MacDonald	Warner
Gigantes	Mackenzie	Wildman
		Ziemba—23.

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and *Ordered for Third Reading*.

The following Bill was read the third time and was passed:—

Bill 47, An Act to repeal The Succession Duty Act.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider certain Bills:—

After some time, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill 54, An Act to amend The Motor Vehicle Fuel Tax Act.

Bill 57, An Act to amend The Land Transfer Tax Act, 1974.

Bill 58, An Act to amend The Retail Sales Tax Act.

Also, that the Committee had directed him to report the following Bill with a certain amendment:—

Bill 59, An Act to amend The Corporations Tax Act, 1972.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill 54, An Act to amend The Motor Vehicle Fuel Tax Act.

Bill 57, An Act to amend The Land Transfer Tax Act, 1974.

Bill 58, An Act to amend The Retail Sales Tax Act.

Bill 59, An Act to amend The Corporations Tax Act, 1972.

The House then adjourned at 10.40 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Compendium of background material re: Bill 80, An Act to amend The Veterinarians Act (*No. 51*).

Compendium of background material re: Bill 81, An Act to amend The Hunter Damage Compensation Act (*No. 52*).

Compendium of background material re: Bill 82, An Act to amend The Dog Licensing and Live Stock and Poultry Protection Act (*No. 53*).

THIRTY-EIGHTH DAY

WEDNESDAY, MAY 9TH, 1979

The following Committees met:—

The Standing General Government Committee.

The Standing Resources Development Committee.

The Standing Social Development Committee.

THIRTY-NINTH DAY

THURSDAY, MAY 10TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

A Return was tabled to Question No. 164 (*Sessional Paper No. 55*).

The Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 165, 167 and 168 (*See Hansard*).

Mr. Watson moved, seconded by Mr. Sterling, That, in the opinion of this House, the Government of Ontario should no longer be under an obligation to appoint a judge of a county or district court as one of the members of a police commission and that the Government should consider introducing the necessary legislative amendments to accomplish this purpose.

And a debate arising at 4.47 p.m. further proceedings on the motion were then reserved until 5.50 p.m. and:—

Mr. Gaunt then moved Second Reading of Bill 67, An Act to amend The Public Health Act.

And a debate arising, after some time,

Mr. Speaker put the Question:—

Shall there be a vote on Mr. Watson's Resolution (*No. 11*) which question was decided in the affirmative, and the motion having been put was declared carried,

And it was,

Resolved, That, in the opinion of this House, the Government of Ontario should no longer be under an obligation to appoint a judge of a county or district court as one of the members of a police commission and that the Government should consider introducing the necessary legislative amendments to accomplish this purpose.

Mr. Speaker then put the Question:—

Shall there be a vote on Bill 67, An Act to amend The Public Health Act which question was decided in the affirmative, and the motion having been put was lost on the following division:—

AYES

Blundy	Hall	Nixon
Bradley	Isaacs	Peterson
Breithaupt	Kerrio	Reed
Conway	Laughren	(Halton-Burlington)
Cooke	Lawlor	Riddell
Cunningham	Lupusella	Roy
Davidson	Makarchuk	Ruston
(Cambridge)	Mancini	Samis
Davison	Martel	Van Horne
(Hamilton Centre)	McClellan	Warner
Edighoffer	McGuigan	Wildman
Gaunt	Miller	Worton
Germa	(Haldimand-Norfolk)	Young—37.
Gigantes	Newman	
	(Windsor-Walkerville)	

NAYS

Ashe	Lane	Rowe
Belanger	Leluk	Scrivener
Bernier	MacBeth	Smith
Birch	Maeck	(Simcoe East)
Brunelle	McCague	Snow
Cureatz	McNeil	Stephenson
Drea	Miller	Sterling
Eaton	(Muskoka)	Taylor
Elgie	Newman	(Simcoe Centre)
Hennessy	(Durham York)	Timbrell
Hodgson	Norton	Turner
Johnson	Parrott	Villeneuve
(Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)	Pope	Watson
Kennedy	Ramsay	Welch
Kerr	Rotenberg	Williams
		Wiseman—41.

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 48, An Act to repeal The Gift Tax Act, 1972 and after some time, the motion having been put was carried on the following division:—

AYES

Belanger
Bernier
Birch
Blundy
Bradley
Brunelle
Campbell
Cunningham
Cureatz
Davis
Eaton
Elgie
Epp
Gaunt
Gregory
Hall
Havrot
Hennessy
Hodgson
Johnson
(Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)

Kerr
Kerrio
Lane
Maeck
Mancini
McCaffrey
McCague
McGuigan
McNeil
Miller
(Haldimand-Norfolk)
Miller
(Muskoka)
Newman
(Durham-York)
Newman
(Windsor-Walkerville)
Nixon
Norton
Parrott

Peterson
Ramsay
Riddell
Rotenberg
Rowe
Roy
Ruston
Smith
(Simcoe East)
Snow
Sterling
Van Horne
Villeneuve
Walker
Watson
Welch
Williams
Wiseman
Worton—54.

NAYS

Charlton
Cooke
Davidson
(Cambridge)
Davison
(Hamilton Centre)
Foulds

Gigantes
Isaacs
Johnston
(Scarborough West)
Laughren
MacDonald
Mackenzie

Makarchuk
Martel
Samis
Swart
Warner
Wildman
Young—18.

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and *Ordered for Third Reading*.

The motion for Third Reading of Bill 48, An Act to repeal The Gift Tax Act, 1972 was then put and carried on the same vote.

And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and passed.

The following Bills were read the second time:—

Bill 50, An Act to authorize the Raising of Moneys on the Credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

Bill 51, An Act to amend The Financial Administration Act. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill 50, An Act to authorize the Raising of Moneys on the Credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

Bill 51, An Act to amend The Financial Administration Act.

The House then adjourned at 10.25 p.m.

Sessional Paper:—

Ministry of the Attorney General—Discussion Paper on Occupiers' Liability and Trespass to Property (*No. 54*).

FORTIETH DAY

FRIDAY, MAY 11TH, 1979

PRAYERS

10.00 O'CLOCK A.M.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:

Bill 84, An Act to revise The Private Investigators and Security Guards Act. *Mr. McMurtry.*

Bill 85, An Act to provide Political Rights for Public Servants. *Mr. Cassidy.*

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the amendment to the motion, That this House approves in general the Budgetary policy of the Government, having been read,

The debate was resumed, and, after some time,

On motion by Mr. Williams,

Ordered, That the debate be Adjourned.

The House then adjourned at 1.00 p.m.

Sessional Papers:

The Ontario Pesticides Advisory Committee:—(1) A Review of the Use of 2, 4-D, other phenoxy herbicides, and picloram by Ontario Government Agencies February, 1979. (2) Report on Assessment of a Field Investigation of Six-Year Spontaneous Absorption Rates in Three Oregon Areas in Relation to Forest 2, 4, 5-T Spray Practices March, 1979 (*No. 56*).

Compendium of background material re: Bill 84, An Act to revise The Private Investigators and Security Guards Act (*No. 57*).

Petition presented by Mr. Swart re: termination of block purchase of Cable T.V. by the residents of the O.H.C. senior citizens in Welland (*No. 58*).

FORTY-FIRST DAY

MONDAY, MAY 14TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 86, An Act to amend The Pesticides Act, 1973. *Mr. Parrott*.

The following Bill was introduced, read the first time and referred to the Standing Administration of Justice Committee:—

Bill Pr7, An Act respecting the County of Northumberland. *Mr. Rowe*.

The Answers were Tabled to Questions Nos. 169 and 170. (*See Hansard*).

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply, to consider Estimates of the Ministry of Northern Affairs,

and after some time,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported progress, also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The House then adjourned at 6.00 p.m.

Sessional Papers:

Compendium of background material re: Bill 86, An Act to amend The Pesticides Act, 1973 (*No. 59*).

Petition presented by member for Windsor-Riverside (*Mr. Cooke*) re: closing of 12 bed residence for Emotionally Disturbed Children at Windsor Western Hospital (*No. 60*).

FORTY-SECOND DAY

TUESDAY, MAY 15TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, the House will not sit on Monday, May 21 or Tuesday, May 22; the Committees will meet as usual on Wednesday, May 23, and sittings in the House will resume at 2.00 o'clock on Thursday, May 24.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 87, An Act to amend The Conveyancing and Law of Property Act. *Mr. Drea*.

Bill 88, An Act to amend The Ontario Highway Transport Board Act. *Mr. Snow*.

Bill 89, An Act to amend The Public Commercial Vehicles Act. *Mr. Snow.*

Bill 90, An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act. *Mr. Snow.*

Bill 91, An Act respecting The Haldimand Board of Education and Teachers Dispute. *Mr. Miller* (Haldimand-Norfolk).

The following Bill was introduced, read the first time and referred to the Standing Administration of Justice Committee:—

Bill Pr5, An Act respecting the City of Toronto. *Mr. Renwick.*

The Answer was Tabled to Question No. 114 (*See Hansard*).

The following Bills were read the second time and *Ordered for Third Reading*:—

Bill Pr4, An Act respecting the Financing of The Huronia District Hospital.

Bill Pr6, An Act respecting the Village of Cookstown.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill Pr4, An Act respecting the Financing of The Huronia District Hospital.

Bill Pr6, An Act respecting the Village of Cookstown.

The following Bills were read the second time:—

Bill 24, An Act to amend The Environmental Protection Act, 1971. *Ordered referred to the Standing Resources Development Committee.*

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Bill 31, An Act to amend The Ontario Municipal Employees Retirement System Act. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

Bill 49, An Act respecting Small Business Development Corporations. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

The following Bill was read the third time and was passed:—

Bill 31, An Act to amend The Ontario Municipal Employees Retirement System Act.

Debate on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 32, An Act to amend The Audit Act, 1972 was adjourned.

The House then adjourned at 10.30 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Compendium of background material re: Bill 19, An Act to amalgamate the Ministry of Colleges and Universities and the Ministry of Education (*No. 61*).

Compendium of background material re: Bill 90, An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act (*No. 62*).

Compendium of background material re: Bill 89, An Act to amend The Public Commercial Vehicles Act (*No. 63*).

Compendium of background material re: Bill 88, An Act to amend The Ontario Highway Transport Board Act (*No. 64*).

Compendium of background material re: Bill 87, An Act to amend The Conveyancing and Law of Property Act (*No. 65*).

FORTY-THIRD DAY

WEDNESDAY, MAY 16TH, 1979

The following Committees met:—

The Standing Administration of Justice Committee.

The Standing General Government Committee.

The Standing Resources Development Committee.

The Standing Social Development Committee.

FORTY-FOURTH DAY

THURSDAY, MAY 17TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 92, An Act to amend The Railways Act. *Mr. Snow.*

Bill 93, An Act to provide for the holding of Land by Religious Organizations. *Mr. McMurtry.*

Bill 94, An Act respecting The Anglican Church of Canada. *Mr. McMurtry.*

Bill 95, An Act to amend The Regional Municipality of Haldimand-Norfolk Act, 1973. *Mr. Wells.*

Bill 96, An Act to amend The Planning Act. *Mr. Bennett.*

Bill 97, An Act respecting Insured Services under the Ontario Health Insurance Plan. *Mr. Martel.*

The Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 14, 33, 38, 41, 59, 122, 171 and 172. (See *Hansard*).

The response to the petition presented by the Member for Bellwoods (Mr. McClellan) re: Ministry of Community and Social Services Offices in Kirkland Lake and Timmins (*Sessional Paper No. 47*) was tabled. (See *Hansard*).

In accordance with Standing Order No. 40 the Member for Prince Edward-Lennox, (Mr. Taylor) withdrew his Resolution No. 15 (Ballot Item No. 14).

Mr. Bounsall moved Second Reading of Bill 3, An Act to amend The Employment Standards Act,

And a debate arising at 4.41 p.m. further proceedings on the motion were then reserved until 5.50 p.m.

As a result of Mr. Taylor's Resolution (*No. 15*) being withdrawn, the House reverted to Government Orders until 5.50 p.m.

The following Bills were read the second time:—

Bill 22, An Act to amend The Ministry of Consumer and Commercial Relations Act. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

Bill 34, An Act to amend The Business Corporations Act. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

Bill 72, An Act to amend The Theatres Act. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

Bill 73, An Act to amend The Prearranged Funeral Services Act. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill 22, An Act to amend The Ministry of Consumer and Commercial Relations Act.

Bill 72, An Act to amend The Theatres Act.

Bill 73, An Act to amend The Prearranged Funeral Services Act.

At 5.50 p.m., pursuant to Standing Order 64 (e), no objection having been made to the putting of the question, the motion for Second Reading of Bill 3, An Act to amend The Employment Standards Act was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and *Ordered for the Standing General Government Committee.*

Mr. Speaker addressed the House as follows:—

This afternoon, Mr. Sterling, on what he considered to be a point of order, requested a ruling on the question of the expenditure of funds by a subcommittee without the express authority of the standing committee from which it is composed.

I must point out that it is an established rule of procedure that the Speaker and the House may not deal with matters originating in a committee unless they are properly brought to the House by a report of the committee presented by the Chairman thereof.

I realize that Mr. Sterling has raised an important question in view of the fact that the provision for subcommittees is new in our Standing Orders and the provision of budgets to standing committees is a very recent development. I therefore suggest that this is a question which should properly be considered by the Procedural Affairs Committee which might be inclined to bring in a report to the House proposing guidelines for the proceedings of subcommittees and generally for the expenditure of funds by standing committees and subcommittees thereof.

Mr. Speaker then delivered the following ruling:—

This afternoon, the Member for Sudbury East, Mr. Martel, introduced a Bill entitled An Act respecting Insured Services under the Ontario Health Insurance Plan. At the time that the Member made his explanation of the Bill's purpose, I felt that it was a money bill. However I reserved a ruling on it until I could examine it more carefully. Having done so, it is obvious to me that as the Bill would increase the services under OHIP, it must of necessity increase the expenditure of public funds under the Plan.

I must rule that the Bill is a money bill which can only be introduced by a Minister of the Crown supported by a message from the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor. The Bill is therefore Out of Order and must be omitted from the Order Paper.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider certain Bills:—

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

After some time, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bill with certain amendments:—

Bill 49, An Act respecting Small Business Development Corporations.

Also, that the Committee had directed him to report progress on the following Bill:—

Bill 34, An Act to amend The Business Corporations Act.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

The following Bill was read the third time and was passed:—

Bill 49, An Act respecting Small Business Development Corporations.

The House then adjourned at 10.30 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Compendium re: Bill 71, An Act to amend The Ontario Heritage Act, 1974. (No. 66).

Compendium re: Bill 92, An Act to amend The Railways Act. (No. 67).

Compendium re: Bill 96, An Act to amend The Planning Act. (No. 68).

FORTY-FIFTH DAY

FRIDAY, MAY 18TH, 1979

PRAYERS

10.00 O'CLOCK A.M.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 98, An Act to amend The Employment Standards Act, 1974. *Mr. Lupusella.*

The Answer was tabled to Question No. 15 (*See Hansard*).

The Interim Answer was tabled to Question No. 173 (*See Hansard*).

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply, to consider Estimates of the Ministry of Northern Affairs,

and after some time,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported progress, also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

Mr. Speaker informed the House that, in the name of Her Majesty the Queen, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor had been pleased to assent to the following Bills in her Chambers:—

Bill 22, An Act to amend The Ministry of Consumer and Commercial Relations Act.

Bill 31, An Act to amend The Ontario Municipal Employees Retirement System Act.

Bill 47, An Act to repeal The Succession Duty Act.

Bill 48, An Act to repeal The Gift Tax Act, 1972.

Bill 49, An Act respecting Small Business Development Corporations.

Bill 50, An Act to authorize the Raising of Money on the Credit of the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

Bill 51, An Act to amend The Financial Administration Act.

Bill 54, An Act to amend The Motor Vehicle Fuel Tax Act.

Bill 57, An Act to amend The Land Transfer Tax Act, 1974.

Bill 58, An Act to amend The Retail Sales Tax Act.

Bill 59, An Act to amend The Corporations Tax Act, 1972.

Bill 72, An Act to amend The Theatres Act.

Bill 73, An Act to amend The Prearranged Funeral Services Act.

Bill Pr4, An Act respecting the Financing of The Huronia District Hospital.

Bill Pr6, An Act respecting the Village of Cookstown.

The House then adjourned at 1.00 p.m.

FORTY-SIXTH DAY

WEDNESDAY, MAY 23RD, 1979

The following Committees met:—

The Select Committee on Ontario Hydro Affairs.

The Standing General Government Committee.

The Standing Resources Development Committee.

The Standing Social Development Committee.

FORTY-SEVENTH DAY

THURSDAY, MAY 24TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. MacDonald from the Select Committee on Ontario Hydro Affairs presented an Interim Report which was read as follows and moved its adoption:—

The purpose of this Interim Report is to bring to the attention of the Legislative Assembly a matter of compelling importance requiring its immediate attention.

The Committee's terms of reference, approved by the Assembly on November 24, 1977, ordered the Committee "to examine Ontario's nuclear commitment." During this ongoing examination, the Committee, on May 23rd last, by a vote of five to four, adopted the following motion:—

That the Government order Ontario Hydro not to start-up the NPD Reactor at Rolphoton until the Committee concludes its consideration of the matter.

On motion by Mr. MacDonald,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, Private Member's ballot item No. 20, standing in the name of Mr. Kerr, be debated on May 31, and such remaining ballot items standing in the name of a member of the Progressive Conservative caucus be similarly advanced in the schedule of items to be debated.

Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 174 to 178 inclusive. (*See Hansard*).

Mr. Van Horne moved Second Reading of Bill 69, An Act to provide for the Disclosure of Information relating to the Financial Cost and Economic Impact of Government Programs and a debate arising, at 4.42 p.m. further proceedings on the motion were reserved until 5.50 p.m. and:—

Mr. Makarchuk then moved Second Reading of Bill 83, An Act respecting the purchase of Goods and Services by the Government of Ontario and Government-supported Institutions and a debate arising, after some time,

Pursuant to Standing Order 64(e) the following members signified their objection to the question being put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 69, An Act to provide for the Disclosure of Information relating to the Financial Cost and Economic Impact of Government Programs

Auld

Ashe

Baetz

Brunelle

Cureatz

Drea

Eaton

Gregory

Handleman

Havrot

Henderson

Hodgson

Johnson

(Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)

Lane

Maeck	Ramsay	Taylor
McCaffrey	Rollins	(Simcoe Centre)
McCague	Rotenberg	Villeneuve
Miller	Rowe	Watson
(Muskoka)	Scrivener	Welch
Norton	Snow	Williams
		Wiseman—31.

And accordingly the question was not put.

Pursuant to Standing Order 64(e) the following members signified their objection to the question being put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 83, An Act respecting the Purchase of Goods and Services by the Government of Ontario and Government-supported Institutions

Auld	Johnson	Rowe
Ashe	(Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)	Scrivener
Baetz	Jones	Smith
Brunelle	Lane	(Simcoe East)
Cureatz	Maeck	Snow
Drea	McCaffrey	Taylor
Eaton	McCague	(Simcoe Centre)
Elgie	Miller	Villeneuve
Gregory	(Muskoka)	Walker
Handleman	Norton	Watson
Havrot	Ramsay	Welch
Henderson	Rollins	Williams
Hodgson	Rotenberg	Wiseman—35.

And accordingly the question was not put.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain Bill:—

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

After some time, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bill with certain amendments:—

Bill 34, An Act to amend The Business Corporations Act.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

The following Bill was read the third time and was passed:—

Bill 34, An Act to amend The Business Corporations Act.

The following Bills were read the second time:—

Bill 17, An Act to amend The Line Fences Act was adjourned. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

Bill 32, An Act to amend The Audit Act, 1977. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

Bill 33, An Act to amend The Agricultural Development Repeal Act, 1973. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

Bill 43, An Act to repeal The Fires Extinguishment Act. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

Bill 44, An Act to repeal The Vacant Land Cultivation Act. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

Bill 45, An Act to repeal The Fire Guardians Act. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

Bill 87, An Act to amend the Conveyancing and Law of Property Act. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed

Bill 32, An Act to amend The Audit Act, 1977.

Bill 33, An Act to amend The Agricultural Development Repeal Act, 1973.

Bill 43, An Act to repeal The Fire Extinguishment Act.

Bill 44, An Act to repeal The Vacant Land Cultivation Act.

Bill 45, An Act to repeal The Fire Guardians Act.

Bill 87, An Act to amend the Conveyancing and Law of Property Act.

The House then adjourned at 10.33 p.m.

Sessional Paper:—

Report of the Provincial Auditor to the Minister of Education re: Grant Payments for Transportation to the Lanark County Board of Education (No. 69):

FORTY-EIGHTH DAY

FRIDAY, MAY 25TH, 1979

PRAYERS

10.00 O'CLOCK A.M.

Mr. Gaunt from The Standing Social Development Committee presented the Committee's report concerning Lakeshore Psychiatric Hospital as follows and moved its adoption:

(1) Your Committee recommends and affirms that the Lakeshore Psychiatric Hospital site be retained in public ownership.

(2) Your Committee could reach no consensus on the matter of in-patient transfers and the opinions of the three parties are as follows:

Progressive Conservative Party

The Progressive Conservative Party endorses the decision to make use of existing, unused capacity for in-patient psychiatric treatment at the Queen Street Mental Health Centre and at the Hamilton Psychiatric Hospital by ceasing use of out-dated facilities at the Lakeshore Psychiatric Hospital for in-patient care.

Liberal Party

In that the Liberal Party believes that the inpatients of Lakeshore Psychiatric Hospital should obtain the benefits of a more modern facility, we recommend that these inpatients be transferred to the Queen Street Mental Health Centre provided:

- (a) that the transfer can be accomplished in an orderly, well-planned fashion and that no transfers take place until such a plan has been submitted by the Minister to the Social Development Committee, and
- (b) that the Minister of Health be required to make a report on the state of the transfers to the Social Development Committee for examination and discussion no later than November 30, 1979.

New Democratic Party

Since we oppose the closing of Lakeshore Psychiatric Hospital, for the many reasons set forth in our Dissenting Opinion which is attached to this Report, we believe that the present in-patient population should and must remain at Lakeshore.

(3) Your Committee recommends and affirms that all existing out-patient services presently connected to Lakeshore Psychiatric Hospital be retained; and further, that these community services be expanded and enriched beyond the level they were prior to January 22nd, 1979, and that no administrative difficulties associated with the transfer of the in-patients be permitted to interfere with the achievement of this goal.

Dissent by the New Democratic Party:

We believe that the existing out-patient services presently located on the Lakeshore site should remain there.

(4) Your Committee strongly recommends that the employees at Lakeshore Psychiatric Hospital be retained to the fullest possible extent, and that every assistance be given to these employees (including management employees) in locating alternative employment.

Dissent by the New Democratic Party:

Since we believe that the closing of the Lakeshore Hospital is a very serious mistake, we do not think that any employees should lose their jobs.

(5) Your Committee recommends and stipulates that an independent survey be undertaken immediately in order to study the in-patient and out-patient services in Greater Toronto, and that this survey be completed in two years and be made public and be used as the basis for future planning of mental health services.

Dissent by the New Democratic Party:

We believe that an independent survey is very much in order *before* any decision is made to terminate any aspect of Lakeshore's present facilities, services or staff. Such an investigation should be completed and made public within six months.

Dissenting Opinion of the New Democratic Party:

After four weeks of hearings we believe that the evidence is overwhelming that there is no justification for closing Lakeshore Psychiatric Hospital at this time.

We are quite dismayed that the Ministry of Health did not undertake a systematic evaluation of the \$116,000 McKinsey Role Study of the three Metro Toronto Psychiatric Hospitals, especially in view of the central recommendation that both Whitby and Lakeshore Psychiatric Hospitals be rebuilt to service the mental health needs in their communities.

We wish, at the outset, to state our fundamental disagreement with the Minister of Health, for the way in which he reached his decision to close Lakeshore Psychiatric without prior planning and consultation with those directly involved with the provision of mental health services in Metropolitan Toronto.

We recognize the need for a full systems approach to mental health services, but we are shocked that the Minister would contemplate shutting down an integral part of the delivery of psychiatric care without even having undertaken such a complete study let alone evaluating its conclusions.

In lieu of further study, we find it highly inconsistent to accept the logic of the McKinsey study to support the rebuilding of Whitby Psychiatric but not the rebuilding of Lakeshore.

We wish to note four areas of concern which substantiate this view. First, there is the budgetary situation; second, the quality of Lakeshore; third, the capacity of Queen Street, and fourth, the need for community services.

1. As the Minister has explained repeatedly, budgetary considerations were paramount in the decision to close Lakeshore. While we recognize the need to make the most efficient use of taxpayers' money, we must fault the present government for having overbuilt the renovated Queen Street Mental Health Centre to a capacity of 700 beds, despite the protests from the staff at the time that this would make it too large.

We must express deep concern that the Psychiatric Services allocation in the 1979-80 Estimates is projected to increase by only 3%, as opposed to an overall increase of 6% in the Health budget. This does not indicate a commitment to maintain existing services, let alone to expand them.

We must raise serious questions about why sufficient funds cannot be found in the current \$4.182 billion Health budget to phase in the rebuilding of the Lakeshore facility over a number of years, as recommended by the Government Services report on Lakeshore in 1977, the Member for Lakeshore, and the Ontario Public Service Employees' Union.

Finally, we must state unequivocally, that it is most inappropriate to determine how much will be allotted for new out-patient services on the basis of halving the initial savings derived from shutting down the psychiatric hospital and laying-off nearly 200 employees. It is noteworthy that there was not one mental health professional who was willing to state that the proposed \$1.3 million was a sufficient amount to put in place a network of community services.

2. Regarding Lakeshore Psychiatric, we appreciate the testimony from the staff, psychiatric professionals and community groups, that Lakeshore has functioned as an excellent community psychiatric hospital.

We were impressed by the praise from all concerned for the high quality of staff and in- and out-patient programs at Lakeshore. We were informed of the close relationship which Lakeshore enjoys with the general hospitals, psychiatrists and community groups. We accept their belief that such a backup facility, located in the Western Toronto region, is needed to treat the seriously disturbed, violent and chronic patients who cannot be accommodated in the general hospital psychiatric wards.

We take very seriously the remarks of a senior director at Queen Street who stated that Lakeshore is being punished for having done such a "terrific job" in placing people in the community. We draw attention to the comment of Dr. Anderson, "If they (Lakeshore) had not done as good a job in moving people out, if they hadn't developed a first-class out-patient department, they wouldn't be closing, and the rest of the community in psychiatry are watching what happens to people who do a good job."

We are distressed by the anguish which has been caused amongst the staff by the Minister's precipitous action, and with the further uncertainty caused by the recent indeterminate assurance that some programs would be retained on the Lakeshore site.

We are concerned about the viability of the superb program involving more than 300 volunteers. The President of the Lakeshore Volunteers' Association, Celia Royce, told us that they would lose their effectiveness if the hospital were closed, and this would be most unfortunate.

Finally, we have been persuaded by the Ontario Fire Marshal, the Etobicoke Fire Inspector and the Lakeshore staff that any suggestion that the institution is a fire hazard is a gross distortion. In fact, the administration has responded promptly—within the limits of the budget—to the recommendations for improving the safety of the buildings, and the fire safety experts have concluded that it is a safe facility.

3. Regarding Queen Street Mental Health Centre, we wish to acknowledge that it is only sensible to utilize fully these modern facilities—excessively large as they are.

However, we believe that there is reason to expect that a 20% increase in Queen Street's catchment area, as recommended by McKinsey, will result in proper utilization of this facility within the next few years.

At present, we are deeply disturbed by the attempt to coalesce two hospitals, with medium-sized patient loads and the highest admission rates in Ontario, into one large institution, because this defies the prevailing wisdom that we need smaller community-based in-patient facilities. This merger will result in a 700 bed institution, the largest in all of Ontario with over 4,000 in-patients per year, serving an area of close to two million people, and it is anticipated that there will be continued rapid population growth.

With the addition of Lakeshore's patients, Queen Street will reach an occupancy rate of approximately 85% this year. This leaves no buffer for increased admission, and we note with concern the fact that there has been a 34% increase in admissions to Queen Street from the hospitals in the old catchment area in the first 3½ months of 1979. A sign of the imminent problems is the fact that the medical staff of Queen Street have already communicated their concern about administrative difficulties, overcrowding, premature discharges and increased disturbances within the hospital.

Furthermore, we note that it is apparent that 48 of the 100 beds, which are supposed to be surplus at the Hamilton Psychiatric Hospital, would be in facilities which the Administrator, Mr. Morin, admits should be demolished. Thus, we have grave concern about any attempt to reduce the number of psychiatric beds to 0.35 per 1000 of population in Metro Toronto by closing Lakeshore, when McKinsey stated that a minimal level would be 0.5 beds per 1000.

4. Regarding out-patient services generally, we accept the expert opinions of the psychiatrists who came before the Committee, including Doctors Durost, Wasylenko, Roberts, Monroe, Anderson, Mech and Rzakki, that a 'generous infusion of funds', likely far in excess of \$1.3 million, would be needed to create a dynamic community services program, and this would have to be done 'on a planned co-ordinated basis' over a period of years not a few months.

We heard repeatedly that there is not simply a lack of community mental health services in Metro, but also a severe problem of co-ordination. We are very reluctant to accept the notion that such out-patient services for a vast, populous area could be easily and effectively co-ordinated from Queen Street alone at this time. As Mr. Fisher, the Administrator of Queen Street, informed us, "We have yet to design a program or to participate in the design of a program for the after-care in the community." This confirms our concern that important changes cannot be implemented speedily.

Finally, we note the fact that psychiatric hospitals tend to create a surrounding ghetto of ex-patients, and we are very sensitive to the strenuous and well-founded representations made by those from the Parkdale community that nothing should be done to compound the existing problems caused by the proliferation of unsupervised boarding homes and bachelorettes in Parkdale.

Therefore, whereas, in the course of our hearings it has become obvious that it is most injudicious to attempt to close a provincial psychiatric institution in the cavalier manner adopted by the Minister of Health, the New Democratic Party cannot accept the statements of the Minister when they are not supported by detailed study and

evidence, nor the informed opinions of most health professionals and community representatives.

We concur wholeheartedly with Dr. Monroe, Chief of Psychiatry at the Toronto General Hospital, when he agreed with the Liberal Health Critic, Mr. Sean Conway, that at a bare minimum Lakeshore should be kept open "until at least there is some more tangible evidence the community resources are strengthened and in place."

First, we believe that it is imperative that a full systems study of the mental health needs of the greater Metropolitan Toronto area must be begun, completed and evaluated before any decision is made to terminate an integral element of the existing network of psychiatric services, and that this study be completed and made public within 6 months.

Such an independent study would require extensive community involvement, and not simply a hasty review by a few of proposals for out-patient services, most of which were presented to the Ministry long before any inkling of the intention to close Lakeshore.

With wider terms of reference, this thorough analysis of mental health needs would be able to confirm or deny the central conclusion of the McKinsey study that a rebuilt Lakeshore Psychiatric Hospital is necessary to serve the people of West Metro Toronto.

Without such a study it is apparent that we in the Legislature and the health planners have no definitive plan for the integration of community and institutional psychiatric services in any cohesive, rational fashion.

Second, we insist that the full range of community programs and a co-ordinating medium be well established and functioning before any beds are cut, in order to assure the mental health services are available to everyone who can receive care outside of a psychiatric hospital. We do not wish to see anyone suffer from a lack of appropriate care because of the premature closure of any beds and programs.

Until such time as these two conditions are met we do not believe that any decision can be reached on the future role of the Lakeshore Psychiatric Hospital. Therefore, we call upon the Government to rescind the order to close Lakeshore Hospital and to maintain the existing in- and out-patient services and appropriate staff complement.

We ask also, that the Minister of Health prevent any further transfers of patients or staff from Lakeshore to any other psychiatric hospital until such time as the Legislature of Ontario has had an opportunity to consider this report.

Since we are opposed to the closing, there is no necessity to make proposals for alternative employment. The full staff should be retained.

Further, we take it for granted, of course, that the Lakeshore Psychiatric Hospital grounds remain in public ownership.

Respectfully submitted by the New Democratic Members of the Social Development Committee.

On motion by Mr. Gaunt,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply, to consider Estimates of the Ministry of Northern Affairs,

and after some time,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported progress, also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 99, An Act to amend The Public Transportation and Highway Improvement Act. *Mr. Snow*.

The Answer was tabled to Question No. 180 (*See Hansard*).

Responses were tabled to the following petitions (*See Hansard*).

A petition presented by Mr. Swart re: termination of block purchase of Cable T.V. by the residents of the O.H.C. senior citizens in Welland (*No. 58*).

A petition presented by member for Windsor-Riverside (*Mr. Cooke*) re: closing of 12 bed residence for Emotionally Disturbed Children at Windsor Western Hospital (*No. 60*).

The House then adjourned at 1.00 p.m.

Sessional Paper:—

Consolidation of The Public Transportation and Highway Improvement Act (*No. 70*).

FORTY-NINTH DAY

MONDAY, MAY 28TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

In accordance with Standing Order No. 33 (b), Mr. Breithaupt tabled a petition requesting the referral of the 1977 Annual Report of Ontario Hydro to the Standing Resources Development Committee (*Sessional Paper No. 75*).

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 100, An Act respecting Local Government in the District of Parry Sound.
Mr. Wells.

Bill 101, An Act to amend The Public Utilities Act. *Mr. Wells.*

Bill 102, An Act to declare the Rights of Children in Ontario. *Mr. McClellan.*

A Return was tabled to Question No. 123 (*Sessional Paper No. 74*).

The Interim Answer was tabled to Question No. 181 (*See Hansard*).

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(*In the Committee*)

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980, the following sum:—

MINISTRY OF NORTHERN AFFAIRS

701. To defray the expenses of the Ministry Administration Program	1,472,000
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and after some time,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had come to certain a Resolution also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The House then adjourned at 6.00 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Copy of Letter dated May 28th, 1979 from the Chairman of Ontario Hydro to the Chairman of the Select Committee on Ontario Hydro Affairs and copies of reports on an incident at Bruce "A" Nuclear Generating Station (*No. 71*).

The Expansion of the Uranium Mines in the Elliot Lake Area, Final Report May, 1979 (*No. 72*).

Response to a question by the Minister of Education on Apprenticeship and Employer-Sponsored Training (*No. 73*).

Compendium of background material re: Bill 101, An Act to amend The Public Utilities Act (*No. 76*).

Compendium of background material re: Bill 100, An Act respecting Local Government in the District of Parry Sound (*No. 77*).

FIFTIETH DAY

TUESDAY, MAY 29TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

On motion by Mr. Grossman,

Ordered, That, notwithstanding the orders of the House, the order of precedence for Private Member's Public Business be changed so that Mr. Epp's Ballot Item be listed and called for debate June 14, that Mr. Ruston's Ballot Item be listed and called for debate June 21st and Mr. Reid's Ballot Item be listed and called for debate July 12.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 103, An Act to amend The Municipal Act. *Mr. Wells.*

Bill 104, An Act to amend The Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto Act. *Mr. Wells.*

Bill 105, An Act to amend The Condominium Act, 1978. *Mr. Drea.*

Bill 106, An Act to amend The Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto Act. *Mr. Epp.*

Bill 107, An Act to provide for Disclosure of Non-Resident Investment in Agricultural Land in Ontario. *Mr. Riddell.*

Bill 108, An Act to amend The Public Accountancy Act. *Mr. McMurtry.*

Bill 109, An Act to amend The Evidence Act. *Mr. McMurtry.*

Bill 110, An Act to amend The Administration of Justice Act. *Mr. McMurtry.*

Bill 111, An Act to amend The Judicature Act. *Mr. McMurtry.*

Bill 112, An Act to amend The County Judges Act. *Mr. McMurtry.*

Bill 113, An Act for the establishment and conduct of a Project in the Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto for the development of improved methods of processing certain Civil Actions. *Mr. McMurtry.*

A Return was tabled to Question No. 185 (*Sessional Paper No. 79*).

The Interim Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 182, 183 and 184 (*See Hansard*).

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider certain Bills,

After some time, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bill with certain amendments:—

Bill 25, An Act to amend The Labour Relations Act.

Also, that the Committee had directed him to report the following Bill without amendment:—

Bill 29, An Act to provide Municipal Hydro-Electric Service in The Regional Municipality of Niagara.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill 25, An Act to amend The Labour Relations Act.

Bill 29, An Act to provide for Municipal Hydro-Electric Service in The Regional Municipality of Niagara.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee)

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980, the following sums:—

MINISTRY OF NORTHERN AFFAIRS

702.	To defray the expenses of the Project Development and Community Relations Program	\$ 5,409,000
703.	To defray the expenses of the Northern Communities Assistance Program	32,255,000
704.	To defray the expenses of the Regional Priorities and Development Program	102,571,000

and after some time,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had come to certain Resolutions also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The House then adjourned at 10.33 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Ontario Hydro Annual Report 1978. (No. 78).

Compendium re: Bill 105, An Act to amend The Condominium Act, 1978. (No. 80).

Compendium re: Bill 103, An Act to amend The Municipal Act. (No. 81).

Compendium re: Bill 104, An Act to amend The Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto Act. (No. 82).

Compendium re: Bill 108, An Act to amend The Public Accountancy Act. (No. 83).

Compendium re: Bill 109, An Act to amend The Evidence Act. (No. 84).

Compendium re: Bill 110, An Act to amend The Administration of Justice Act and Bill 111, An Act to amend The Judicature Act. (No. 85).

Compendium re: Bill 112, An Act to amend The County Judges Act. (No. 86).

Compendium re: Bill 113, An Act for the establishment and conduct of a Project in the Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto for the development of improved methods of processing certain Civil Actions. (No. 87).

FIFTY-FIRST DAY

WEDNESDAY, MAY 30TH, 1979

The following Committees met:—

The Standing Administration of Justice Committee.

The Standing General Government Committee.

The Standing Resources Development Committee.

The Standing Social Development Committee.

FIFTY-SECOND DAY

THURSDAY, MAY 31ST, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Hall from the Standing Public Accounts Committee presented an Interim Report and moved its adoption. The Committee's Report was read as follows:—

Your Committee recommends that the Royal Ontario Museum furnish the Committee with the most current monthly financial statements and budget of the Royal Ontario Museum, for analysis by the Provincial Auditor. Such statements analysis, to be returned to the Committee within 3 weeks preferably 2 weeks.

Your Committee further recommends that the Minister of Culture and Recreation, the Deputy Minister of Culture and Recreation together with the Chairman of the Board of the Royal Ontario Museum and the Director of the Royal Ontario Museum attend at the Committees deliberations of the matter.

On motion by Mr. Hall,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

Mrs. Campbell from the Standing Members' Services Committee presented the Committee's Report and moved its adoption. The Committee's Report was read as follows:

Your Committee has the honour to present its First Report and recommends as follows:—

That standardized procedures be established to ensure that the Legislative Library receive automatically and as soon as possible all research and back-up documentation from commissions of inquiry related to the Government of Ontario.

On motion by Mrs. Campbell,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

On motion by Mr. Grossman,

Ordered, That the following substitutions be made:

Mr. Miller (Haldimand-Norfolk) for Mr. Bolan on Resources Development Committee,

Mr. Worton for Mr. Conway on Members' Services Committee and

Mr. Conway for Mr. Kerrio on The Select Committee on Ontario Hydro Affairs.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 114, An Act to amend Certain Acts respecting Regional Municipalities.
Mr. Wells.

Bill 115, An Act to amend The Municipal Act. *Mr. Wells.*

Bill 116, An Act to amend The District Municipality of Muskoka Act. *Mr. Wells.*

Bill 117, An Act to amend The County of Oxford Act, 1974. *Mr. Wells.*

Bill 118, An Act to amend The Royal Ontario Museum Act. *Mr. Grande.*

The Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 113, 186 to 191 inclusive. (See *Hansard*).

The Interim Answer was tabled to Question No. 192. (See *Hansard*).

Mr. Kerr moved, seconded by Mr. Gregory,

That, in the opinion of this House, the Government of Ontario should consider taking immediate steps to reduce the amount of waste being disposed of in sanitary landfill dump sites, and furthermore, the Government of Ontario should increase its assistance to municipalities and local government authorities in order to encourage the development and institution of alternative methods of waste disposal maximizing the opportunities for reclamation, recycling, and development of energy from waste.

And a debate arising, at 5.02 p.m. further proceedings on the motion were reserved until 5.50 p.m.

The Deputy Speaker, being in the Chair, then delivered the following ruling:—

Last Thursday the Honourable Member for Scarboro-Ellesmere asked me to consider the Provisions of Standing Order 64 (e) (ii) concerning a recording of the names of Members objecting to the placing of questions in the event that less than 20 Members should rise.

I have reviewed the Standing Order and the Member's comments. Two distinct actions must take place. First, the Clerks will determine if 20 Members are standing and if 20 Members are standing their names will then be recorded. My interpretation of the Standing Order is that if 20 Members are not standing, the names of any Members who do object shall not be recorded and the Chair will proceed to place the question as it is authorized to do by Standing Order 64.

I hope this will be of assistance to the Honourable Member.

Mr. Hall then moved, seconded by Mr. Nixon,

That, in the opinion of this House, the Government should follow a policy of minimum tax and markup on Ontario wines made from Ontario-grown grapes, to encourage a stable economy for the grape-growing industry, in order to preserve unique agricultural lands.

And a debate arising, after some time,

Pursuant to Standing Order 64 (e) no objection having been made to the putting of the question on Mr. Kerr's Resolution (*No. 18*) the question was decided in the affirmative, and the motion having been put, was declared carried, and it was,

Resolved, That, in the opinion of this House, the Government of Ontario should consider taking immediate steps to reduce the amount of waste being disposed of in sanitary landfill dump sites, and furthermore, the Government of Ontario should increase its assistance to municipalities and local government authorities in order to encourage the development and institution of alternative methods of waste disposal maximizing the opportunities for reclamation, recycling, and development of energy from waste.

Pursuant to Standing Order 64 (e) no objection having been made to the putting of the question on Mr. Hall's Resolution (*No. 17*) the question was decided in the affirmative, and the motion having been put, was also declared carried, and it was,

Resolved, That, in the opinion of this House, the Government should follow a policy of minimum tax and markup on Ontario wines made from Ontario-grown grapes, to encourage a stable economy for the grape-growing industry, in order to preserve unique agricultural lands.

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bills were read the second time:—

Bill 71, An Act to amend The Ontario Heritage Act, 1974. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

Bill 93, An Act to provide for the holding of Land by Religious Organizations. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

Bill 94, An Act respecting The Anglican Church of Canada. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed.

Bill 71, An Act to amend The Ontario Heritage Act, 1974.

Bill 94, An Act respecting The Anglican Church of Canada.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain Bill:—

After some time, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report progress on the following Bill:—

Bill 93, An Act to provide for the holding of Land by Religious Organizations.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

The House then adjourned at 10.30 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Report of Dover Township Flood Review Committee to Hon. James A. C. Auld, Minister of Natural Resources, May, 1979. (No. 88).

White Paper on The Planning Act (No. 89).

Compendium re: Bill 114, An Act to amend certain Acts respecting Regional Municipalities (No. 90).

Compendium re: Bill 115, An Act to amend The Municipal Act (No. 91).

Compendium re: Bill 116, An Act to amend The District Municipality of Muskoka Act (No. 92).

Compendium re: Bill 117, An Act to amend The County of Oxford Act, 1974 (No. 93).

FIFTY-THIRD DAY

FRIDAY, JUNE 1ST, 1979

PRAYERS

10.00 O'CLOCK A.M.

Mr. Renwick from the Standing Administration of Justice Committee presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill without amendment:—

Bill Pr11, An Act to revive Delila Construction Limited.

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills with certain amendments:—

Bill Pr1, An Act respecting the Town of Niagara-on-the-Lake.

Bill Pr12, An Act respecting the Borough of East York.

On motion by Mr. Grossman,

Ordered, That, the Standing General Government Committee be authorized to sit the evening of Wednesday, June 6 and concurrently with the House on Thursday, June 7 and Friday, June 8.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply, to consider Estimates of the Ministry of Intergovernmental Affairs,

and after some time,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported progress, also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The House then adjourned at 1.00 p.m.

FIFTY-FOURTH DAY

MONDAY, JUNE 4TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, the Standing Resources Development Committee be authorized to travel to Dryden on Wednesday June 6th, 1979 to visit the facilities of the Reed Paper Company, and that the provisions of Section 66 of The Legislative Assembly Act be not applicable.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 119, An Act to provide for Municipal Hydro-Electric Service in The Regional Municipality of Halton. *Mr. Auld*.

The answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 194 and 195. (*See Hansard*).

The following Bills were read the second time and *Ordered for Third Reading*.

Bill Pr1, An Act respecting the Town of Niagara-on-the-Lake.

Bill Pr11, An Act to revive Delila Construction Limited.

Bill Pr12, An Act respecting the Borough of East York.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed.

Bill Pr1, An Act respecting the Town of Niagara-on-the-Lake.

Bill Pr11, An Act to revive Delila Construction Limited.

Bill Pr12, An Act respecting the Borough of East York.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee)

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980, the following sum:—

MINISTRY OF INTERGOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

601. To defray the expenses of the Ministry Administration Program	\$	1,264,000
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and after some time,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had come to a certain Resolution also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the motion for adoption of the Interim Report of the Standing Public Accounts Committee dated May 31st, 1979 re: the Royal Ontario Museum having been read, and a debate arising, after some time,

Mr. Foulds moved, under Standing Order No. 36, "That this question be now put", which question was decided in the negative,

the debate continued, and after some time,

Mr. Foulds again moved, under Standing Order No. 36, "That this question be now put", which question was ruled out of order by Mr. Speaker,

the debate continued, and after some time,

the motion for adoption of the Report was declared carried, and the Report was adopted as follows:—

Your Committee recommends that the Royal Ontario Museum furnish the Committee with the most current monthly financial statements and budget of the Royal Ontario Museum, for analysis by the Provincial Auditor. Such statements analysis, to be returned to the Committee within 3 weeks preferably 2 weeks.

Your Committee further recommends that the Minister of Culture and Recreation, the Deputy Minister of Culture and Recreation together with the Chairman of the Board of the Royal Ontario Museum and the Director of the Royal Ontario Museum attend at the Committees deliberations of the matter.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the motion for adoption of the Report of the Standing Social Development Committee dated May 25th, 1979 re: Lakeshore Psychiatric Hospital having been read, and a debate arising, after some time,

Mr. Lawlor moved, seconded by Mr. McClellan,

That the motion for the adoption of the Report be amended by striking out the words "be adopted" and substituting therefor the following words:—

"be re-committed to the said Committee for reconsideration",

the debate continued, and after some time,

Mr. Foulds moved, under Standing Order No. 36,

"That this question be now put", which question was decided in the affirmative.

The amendment to the motion was then put forthwith and carried on the following division:—

AYES

Blundy
Bradley
Breaugh
Breithaupt

Bryden
Campbell
Charlton
Cooke

Cunningham
Davidson
(Cambridge)

AYES—Continued

Davison
(Hamilton Centre)

Di Santo

Eakins

Epp

Foulds

Gaunt

Grande

Hall

Johnston

(Scarborough West)

Lawlor

Lupusella

MacDonald

Makarchuk

Mancini

McClellan

McGuigan

McKessock

Miller

(Haldimand-Norfolk)

Newman

(Windsor-Walkerville)

Nixon

O'Neil

Peterson

Philip

Reid

(Rainy River)

Renwick

Roy

Ruston

Smith

(Hamilton West)

Sweeney

Warner

Wildman

Worton

Young

Ziembra—44.

NAYS

Baetz

Belanger

Brunelle

Drea

Gregory

Havrot

Hennessy

Hodgson

Johnson

(Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)

Jones

Kennedy

McCague

Newman

(Durham York)

Parrott

Rowe

Snow

Taylor

(Simcoe Centre)

Timbrell

Turner

Villeneuve

Welch—21.

And accordingly the Report of the Standing Social Development Committee dated May 25th, 1979 re: Lakeshore Psychiatric Hospital was *re-committed to the Standing Social Development Committee for reconsideration.*

The House then adjourned at 10.40 p.m.

FIFTY-FIFTH DAY

TUESDAY, JUNE 5TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 120, An Act to amend The Workmen's Compensation Act. *Mr. Di Santo.*

Bill 121, An Act respecting Procedure for the Extension of Gas Service in Metropolitan Toronto. *Mr. Warner.*

The following Bills were read the second time:—

Bill 88, An Act to amend The Ontario Highway Transport Board Act. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

Bill 90, An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

Bill 92, An Act to amend The Railways Act. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

Bill 96, An Act to amend The Planning Act. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

Bill 99, An Act to amend The Public Transportation and Highway Improvement Act. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain Bill,

After some time therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report progress on the following Bill:—

Bill 90, An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill 88, An Act to amend The Ontario Highway Transport Board Act.

Bill 92, An Act to amend The Railways Act.

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bill was read the second time:—

Bill 115, An Act to amend The Municipal Act. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain Bill:—

After some time, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bill without amendment:—

Bill 115, An Act to amend The Municipal Act.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

The following Bill was read the third time and was passed:—

Bill 115, An Act to amend The Municipal Act.

One matter was debated on the motion to adjourn and the House then adjourned at 10.30 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Commission on Freedom of Information and Individual Privacy—Research Publication 7, Freedom of Information in Local Government in Ontario. (*No. 94*).

Statement of Expenditures for the Ministry of the Solicitor General from April 1st, 1978 to March 31st, 1979 tabled in compliance with Standing Order 48 (a). (*No. 95*).

Ministry of the Solicitor General Annual Report 1978. (*No. 96*).

Annual Report of the Ontario Research Foundation for 1978. (*No. 97*).

FIFTY-SIXTH DAY

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 6TH, 1979

The following Committees met:—

The Standing Administration of Justice Committee.

The Standing General Government Committee.

The Standing Resources Development Committee.

The Standing Social Development Committee.

FIFTY-SEVENTH DAY

THURSDAY, JUNE 7TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

During the Question Period, Mr. Speaker requested the member for Sudbury East, Mr. Martel, to withdraw his remarks of Thursday last, May 31st.

The member having refused, was named by Mr. Speaker and directed to withdraw from the service of the House for the balance of this days sitting.

Mr. Lawlor from the Select Committee on the Ombudsman presented the Committee's Sixth Report (*Sessional Paper No. 100*) and moved the adoption of its recommendations:—

On motion by Mr. Lawlor,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, the following substitutions be made:

Mr. Turner for Mr. Rowe on the Social Development Committee and

Mr. Rowe for Mr. Turner on the General Government Committee.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, notwithstanding any standing order of the House the Standing Resources Development Committee may meet tonight and the House may meet to consider legislation in the Resources policy field.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 122, An Act to provide for the Establishment of Local Services Boards. *Mr. Bernier.*

Bill 123, An Act to provide for Municipal Hydro-Electric Service in The Regional Municipality of Durham. *Mr. Auld.*

Bill 124, An Act to amend The Municipal Act. *Mr. Isaacs.*

The following Bills were introduced, read the first time and referred to the Standing Administration of Justice Committee:—

Bill Pr9, An Act respecting the City of Ottawa. *Mr. Roy.*

Bill Pr14, An Act to revive The January School as Montcrest School. *Mrs. Scrivener.*

Bill Pr15, An Act respecting the Town of Aurora. *Mr. Hodgson.*

Bill Pr16, An Act respecting The Trustees of the Windsor Grove Cemetery. *Mr. Newman* (Windsor-Walkerville).

A Return was tabled to Question No. 181 (*Sessional Paper 101*).

The answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 193, 196, 198, 199 and 202. (*See Hansard*).

Mr. Lupusella moved Second Reading of Bill 98, An Act to amend The Employment Standards Act, 1974, and a debate arising, at 4.52 p.m. further proceedings on the motion were reserved until 5.50 p.m. and:—

Mr. Handleman then moved, seconded by Mr. Sterling,

That, in the opinion of this House, the Government of Ontario should consider the introduction of legislation requiring each governing body of a health discipline to which *The Health Disciplines Act, 1974* applies and the Ontario Hospitals Association to develop and adopt a patients' bill of rights codifying the rights of every patient who receives services from a practitioner of that health discipline or from a hospital that is a member of the Association and a debate arising, after some time,

Pursuant to Standing Order 64 (e) the following members signified their objection to the question being put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 98, An Act to amend The Employment Standards Act, 1974.

Baetz

Birch

Cureatz

Drea

Elgie

Gregory

Handleman

Hennessy

Hodgson

Johnson

(Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)

Lane

Leluk	Ramsay	Walker
Maeck	Rotenberg	Watson
McCaffrey	Rowe	Welch
McCague	Scrivener	Wiseman—27.
McNeil	Stephenson	
Norton	Sterling	

And accordingly the question was not put.

Pursuant to Standing Order 64 (e) no objection having been made to the putting of the question on Mr. Handleman's Resolution (*No. 19*) the question having been put was declared carried, and it was,

Resolved, That, in the opinion of this House, the Government of Ontario should consider the introduction of legislation requiring each governing body of a health discipline to which *The Health Disciplines Act, 1974* applies and the Ontario Hospitals Association to develop and adopt a patients' bill of rights codifying the rights of every patient who receives services from a practitioner of that health discipline or from a hospital that is a member of the Association.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain Bill:—

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

After some time, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bill with certain amendments:—

Bill 17, An Act to revise The Line Fences Act.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

The House then adjourned at 10.35 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Regional Municipality of Durham Electrical Utility Restructuring, Correlation Team Report April 18, 1979. (*No. 98*). (Compendium re: Bill 123, An Act to provide for Municipal Hydro Electric Service in the Regional Municipality of Durham).

Compendium re: Bill 122, An Act to provide for the Establishment of Local Services Boards. (*No. 99*).

Correspondence re: Heritage Languages Program tabled by the member for Oakwood (Mr. Grande). (*No. 102*).

Compendium re: Bill 119, An Act to provide for Municipal Hydro-Electric Service in The Regional Municipality of Halton. (No. 103).

Reports of the Public Institutions Inspection Panel and the Ombudsman's report concerning Guelph Correctional Centre. (No. 104).

FIFTY-EIGHTH DAY

FRIDAY, JUNE 8TH, 1979

PRAYERS

10.00 O'CLOCK A.M.

On motion by Mr. Grossman,

Ordered, That, the Standing General Government Committee be authorized to meet concurrently with the House Monday, June 11.

The Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 141 to 153 inclusive, 182 to 184 inclusive and 204. (See *Hansard*).

The Interim Answer was tabled to Question No. 197 (See *Hansard*).

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply, to consider Estimates of the Ministry of Intergovernmental Affairs,

and after some time,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported progress, also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Orderd, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The House then adjourned at 1.00 p.m.

Sessional Paper:—

Documents tabled by the Minister of Consumer and Commercial Relations re: the General Motors Engine Exchange Problem. (No. 105).

FIFTY-NINTH DAY

MONDAY, JUNE 11TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Speaker addressed the House as follows:—

On Thursday last, June 7, Mr. Reid of Rainy River, asked me to consider, as a point of order, whether the government was, in fact, complying with Standing Order 32, clause c, in not tabling as part of the compendia on the introduction of government bills those opinion polls which the various ministries have had taken from time to time.

I have considered the question very carefully and I fail to see how I can be expected to know what was, or what was not, the background information considered by a Minister and his staff when preparing legislation. The Minister tables what he considers to be the compendium required by the Standing Order and there is no way that I can look behind his decision.

Mr. Villeneuve from the Standing Resources Development Committee reported the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That Supply in the following amounts and to defray the expenses of the Ministry of Agriculture and Food be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980:—

MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND FOOD:

Ministry Administration Program	\$ 5,594,900
Agricultural Production Program	110,395,600
Rural Development Program	11,231,000
Agricultural Marketing Program	12,846,500
Agricultural Education and Research Program	28,470,200

The Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 192 and 203. (*See Hansard*).

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(*In the Committee*)

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980, the following sum:—

MINISTRY OF INTERGOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

602. To defray the expenses of the Intergovernmental Affairs Program	\$ 1,172,000
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and after some time,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had come to a certain Resolution also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The House then adjourned at 6.00 p.m.

Sessional Paper:—

Copy of letter dated April 24th, 1979 from Canadian Applied Technology to the Minister of the Environment, The Honourable Harry Parrott re: Contract Award to Radian Corporation, Texas, U.S.A. (No. 106).

SIXTIETH DAY

TUESDAY, JUNE 12TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, Bill Pr9, An Act respecting the City of Ottawa be withdrawn from the Standing Administration of Justice Committee and be referred to the Standing General Government Committee for consideration following the completion of Bill 163.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, the Standing Resources Development Committee be authorized to sit the afternoon of Wednesday, June 13 in addition to the regular sittings.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, the Standing Social Development Committee be authorized to travel to Sudbury, Thunder Bay, Ottawa and Windsor on Wednesday, June 13 for the

purpose of holding hearings on the active treatment hospital bed closings and that provisions of Section 66 of The Legislative Assembly Act be not applicable.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 125, An Act to amend The Ontario Water Resources Act. *Mr. Germa.*

Bill 126, An Act to amend The Employment Standards Act, 1974. *Mr. Charlton.*

The following Bill was introduced, read the first time and referred to the Standing Administration of Justice Committee:—

Bill Pr8, An Act respecting the City of Hamilton. *Mr. Mackenzie.*

The Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 200, 201, 207 to 211 inclusive. (*See Hansard*).

Debate on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 52, An Act to amend The Mining Tax Act, 1972 was resumed, and after some time, the motion having been put was carried on the following division:—

AYES

Ashe	Haggerty	Newman
Auld	Handleman	(Durham-York)
Belanger	Havrot	Newman
Bernier	Henderson	(Windsor-Walkerville)
Blundy	Hennessy	Nixon
Bolan	Hodgson	Norton
Bradley	Johnson	O'Neil
Breithaupt	(Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)	Peterson
Campbell	Jones	Ramsay
Conway	Kennedy	Reed
Cunningham	Lane	(Halton-Burlington)
Cureatz	Leluk	Riddell
Davis	Mancini	Rollins
Drea	McCaffrey	Rotenberg
Eakins	McCague	Rowe
Eaton	McGuigan	Roy
Epp	McKessock	Ruston
Gaunt	Miller	Sargent
Gregory	(Haldimand-Norfolk)	Scrivener

AYES—Continued

Smith
(Hamilton West)

Smith
(Simcoe East)

Snow

Stephenson

Sterling

Sweeney

Taylor
(Prince Edward-Lennox)

Taylor
(Simcoe Centre)

Turner

Van Horne

Villeneuve

Walker

Watson

Welch

Williams

Wiseman

Worton—69.

NAYS

Bounsall

Breaugh

Bryden

Charlton

Cooke

Davidson

(Cambridge)

Davison

(Hamilton Centre)

Di Santo

Dukszta

Foulds

Germa

Gigantes

Grande

Johnston

(Scarborough West)

Laughren

Lawlor

Lupusella

MacDonald

Mackenzie

Makarchuk

Martel

McClellan

Philip

Renwick

Samis

Swart

Warner

Wildman

Young

Ziembra—30.

And the Bill was accordingly read the second time and *Ordered for Third Reading*.

The following Bill was read the third time and was passed.

Bill 52, An Act to amend The Mining Tax Act, 1972.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider certain Bills.

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8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

After some time therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report progress on the following Bill:—

Bill 8, An Act to amend The Trees Act.

Also, that the Committee had directed him to report the following Bill with certain amendments:—

Bill 93, An Act to provide for the holding of Land by Religious Organizations.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

The following Bill was read the third time and was passed.

Bill 93, An Act to provide for the holding of Land by Religious Organizations.

The following Bills were read the second time:—

Bill 108, An Act to amend The Public Accountancy Act. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

Bill 109, An Act to amend The Evidence Act. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

Bill 110, An Act to amend The Administration of Justice Act. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

Bill 111, An Act to amend The Judicature Act. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

Bill 112, An Act to amend The County Judges Act. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed.

Bill 108, An Act to amend The Public Accountancy Act.

Bill 109, An Act to amend The Evidence Act.

Bill 110, An Act to amend The Administration of Justice Act.

Debate on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 113, An Act for the establishment and conduct of a Project in the Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto for the development of improved methods of processing certain Civil Actions, was adjourned.

One matter was debated on the motion to adjourn and the House then adjourned at 10.40 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

The Select Committee on Company Law Report on the Insurance Industry 1979. (No. 107).

Report of the Standing Procedural Affairs Committee on Subcommittees. (No. 108).

SIXTY-FIRST DAY

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 13TH, 1979

The following Committees met:—

The Standing Administration of Justice Committee.

The Standing General Government Committee.

The Standing Resources Development Committee.

The Standing Social Development Committee.

SIXTY-SECOND DAY

THURSDAY, JUNE 14TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, the Standing General Government Committee be authorized to sit concurrently with the House today for the purpose of voting upon outstanding clauses in Bill 163, An Act to reform the Law respecting Residential Tenancies and reporting it back to the House.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 127, An Act to revise The Pits and Quarries Control Act, 1971. *Mr. Auld.*

Bill 128, An Act respecting Small Business in Ontario. *Mr. Eakins.*

Bill 129, An Act respecting Predator Control in Ontario. *Mr. Riddell.*

Bill 130, An Act respecting the Sale of Farm Machinery and Equipment in Ontario. *Mr. Wildman.*

The Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 205, 206, 212, 213, 218, 219, 220 and 221. (*See Hansard*).

The following Bill was read the third time and was passed:—

Bill 17, An Act to revise The Line Fences Act.

Mr. Epp moved Second Reading of Bill 106, An Act to amend The Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto Act, and a debate arising, at 4.43 p.m. further proceedings on the motion were reserved until 5.50 p.m. and:—

Mr. Lawlor then moved, seconded by Mr. Johnston (Scarborough West).

That, nearing a time of crisis and decision for Canada, a Committee of this House be named immediately to review the present proposals and positions of this government in relation to national unity and related constitutional issues, so that the position of this House may be made clear, particularly as the positions of the governments, Federal and Provincial, of the Task Force on Canadian Unity and other concerned interested bodies have now been published; and that the Committee be required to recommend to this House the policy and proposals for Ontario which will best ensure the continuing unity of Canada; the said Committee to report not later than November 1, 1979, and a debate arising, after some time,

Pursuant to Standing Order 64 (e) the following members signified their objection to the question being put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 106, An Act to amend The Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto Act.

Auld
Ashe
Bernier
Cureatz
Drea
Eaton
Elgie
Gregory
Grossman
Henderson
Johnson
(Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)

Lane
Leluk
MacBeth
Maeck
McCaffrey
McNeil
Newman
(Durham York)
Parrott
Pope
Ramsay
Rollins

Rotenberg
Sterling
Taylor
(Simcoe Centre)
Villeneuve
Watson
Welch
Wells
Williams
Wiseman—31.

and accordingly the Question was not put.

Pursuant to Standing Order 64 (e) the following members signified their objection to the Question being put on Mr. Lawlor's Resolution (No. 23).

Auld
Ashe
Baetz
Bernier
Cureatz
Drea
Eaton
Elgie
Gregory

Grossman
Henderson
Hodgson
Johnson
(Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)
Kerr
Lane
Leluk
MacBeth

Maeck
McCaffrey
McCague
McNeil
Newman
(Durham York)
Parrott
Pope
Ramsay

Rollins
Rotenberg
Sterling
Villeneuve

Walker
Watson
Welch
Wells

Williams
Wiseman—35.

and accordingly the Question was not put.

Mr. Speaker informed the House that, in the name of Her Majesty the Queen, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor had been pleased to assent to the following Bills in her Chambers:—

Bill 17, An Act to revise The Line Fences Act.

Bill 25, An Act to amend The Labour Relations Act.

Bill 29, An Act to provide for Municipal Hydro-Electric Service in The Regional Municipality of Niagara.

Bill 32, An Act to amend The Audit Act, 1977.

Bill 33, An Act to amend The Agricultural Development Repeal Act, 1973.

Bill 34, An Act to amend The Business Corporations Act.

Bill 43, An Act to repeal The Fires Extinguishment Act.

Bill 44, An Act to repeal The Vacant Land Cultivation Act.

Bill 45, An Act to repeal The Fire Guardians Act.

Bill 52, An Act to amend The Mining Tax Act, 1972.

Bill 71, An Act to amend The Ontario Heritage Act, 1974.

Bill 87, An Act to amend The Conveyancing and Law of Property Act.

Bill 88, An Act to amend The Ontario Highway Transport Board Act.

Bill 92, An Act to amend The Railways Act.

Bill 93, An Act to provide for the holding of Land by Religious Organizations.

Bill 94, An Act respecting The Anglican Church of Canada.

Bill 108, An Act to amend The Public Accountancy Act.

Bill 109, An Act to amend The Evidence Act.

Bill 110, An Act to amend The Administration of Justice Act.

Bill 115, An Act to amend The Municipal Act.

Bill Pr1, An Act respecting the Town of Niagara-on-the-Lake.

Bill Pr11, An Act to revive Delila Construction Limited.

Bill Pr12, An Act respecting the Borough of East York.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the motion for adoption of the Interim Report of the Select Committee on Ontario Hydro Affairs dated May 24th 1979 re: NPD Reactor at Rolphoton, having been read,

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8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

and a debate arising, after some time,

Mr. Auld moved seconded by Mr. Welch, that the words "its adoption" in the motion before the Legislature be struck out and the following words be substituted therefor:

"that the interim report be referred back to the Select Committee on Ontario Hydro Affairs and that the Select Committee be reconvened as soon as possible to begin its examination of Ontario's nuclear commitment, including nuclear safety matters, and that the concerns expressed with respect to Rolphoton (NPD) be considered in that examination".

So that the motion will now read:

"move that the interim report be referred back to the Select Committee on Ontario Hydro Affairs and that the Select Committee be reconvened as soon as possible to begin its examination of Ontario's nuclear commitment, including nuclear safety matters, and that the concerns expressed with respect to Rolphoton (NPD) be considered in that examination".

the debate continued, and after some time,

Mr. Ashe moved, seconded by Mr. Ramsay,

That the amendment to the motion be amended by deleting the following words in the fourth line "as soon as possible" and substituting the following "as scheduled and agreed to by the Hydro Steering Committee" the debate continued, and after some time,

The amendment to the amendment to the motion, having been put, was carried on the following division:—

AYES

Auld	Johnson	Rotenberg
Ashe	(Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)	Rowe
Baetz	Kennedy	Scrivener
Belanger	Kerr	Smith
Bennett	Lane	(Simcoe East)
Bernier	Leluk	Snow
Birch	Maeck	Stephenson
Brunelle	McCaffrey	Sterling
Cureatz	McCague	Taylor
Davis	McMurtry	(Simcoe Centre)
Drea	McNeil	Timbrell
Eaton	Miller	Turner
Elgie	(Muskoka)	Villeneuve
Gregory	Newman	Walker
Grossman	(Durham York)	Watson
Havrot	Parrott	Welch
Henderson	Pope	Wells
Hennessy	Ramsay	Williams
Hodgson	Rollins	Wiseman
		Yakabuski—53.

NAYS

Blundy	Foulds	Nixon
Bolan	Gaunt	O'Neil
Bounsall	Germa	Peterson
Bradley	Gigantes	Philip
Breaugh	Grande	Reed
Breithaupt	Haggerty	(Halton-Burlington)
Bryden	Hall	Renwick
Campbell	Isaacs	Riddell
Cassidy	Johnston	Ruston
Charlton	(Scarborough West)	Samis
Conway	Lupusella	Smith
Cooke	MacDonald	(Hamilton West)
Cunningham	Mackenzie	Stong
Davidson	Mancini	Swart
(Cambridge)	McClellan	Van Horne
Davison	Miller	Warner
(Hamilton Centre)	(Haldimand-Norfolk)	Wildman
Dukszta	Newman	Worton
Eakins	(Windsor-Walkerville)	Ziemba—51.
Epp		

Pair: MacBeth and Edighoffer

The amendment, as amended, was then carried on the same vote.

And it was,

Ordered, That the interim report be referred back to the Select Committee on Ontario Hydro Affairs and that the Select Committee be reconvened as scheduled and agreed to by the Hydro Steering Committee to begin its examination of Ontario's nuclear commitment, including nuclear safety matters, and that the concerns expressed with respect to Rolphton (NPD) be considered in that examination.

The House then adjourned at 10.45 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Canada/United States Electricity Exchanges (*No. 109*).

Ontario Law Reform Commission—Report on Sale of Goods (*No. 110*).

Review of Existing Legislation and practices Relevant to the Office of the Special Examiner within the Judicial District of York (*No. 111*).

Compendium re: Bill 127, An Act to revise The Pits and Quarries Control Act, 1971 (*No. 112*).

Royal Commission on Electric Power Planning Report on the need for additional Bulk Power facilities in southwestern Ontario (*No. 113*).

First Report of the Commission on Election Contributions and Expenses (*No. 116*).

SIXTY-THIRD DAY

FRIDAY, JUNE 15TH, 1979

PRAYERS

10.00 O'CLOCK A.M.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That the Standing Resources Development Committee be authorized to meet concurrently with the House the evening of Monday, June 18.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 131, An Act respecting the Village of Point Edward. *Mr. Wells.*

Bill 132, An Act to amend The Securities Act, 1978. *Mr. Drea.*

Bill 133, An Act to repeal The Income Tax Discounters Act, 1977. *Mr. Drea.*

Bill 134, An Act to provide for an All Ontario Pitch-In Day. *Mr. Miller* (Haldimand-Norfolk).

The Interim Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 236 and 237. (*See Hansard*).

The following Bill was read the second time:—

Bill 46, An Act to amend The Local Improvement Act. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain Bill:—

After some time, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bill with a certain amendment:—

Bill 46, An Act to amend The Local Improvement Act.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

The following Bill was read the third time and was passed:—

Bill 46, An Act to amend The Local Improvement Act.

The following Bill was read the second time:—

Bill 100, An Act respecting Local Government in the District of Parry Sound. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

The House then adjourned at 1.00 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Compendium re: Bill 131, An Act respecting the Village of Point Edward (*No. 114*).

Compendium re: Bill 132, An Act to amend The Securities Act, 1978 (*No. 115*).

Compendium re: Bill 133, An Act to repeal The Income Tax Discounters Act, 1977 (*No. 117*).

SIXTY-FOURTH DAY

MONDAY, JUNE 18TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Tribute was paid to Helen Allen for her work furthering the adoption of children. The Premier was joined by the Leader of the Opposition and Mr. Cassidy. The Premier accompanied by Mr. Speaker, presented a Scroll to Ms. Allen expressing the gratitude of the Province.

Mr. Speaker informed the House that the Private Members' Ballot, scheduled to be held at 10.00 a.m. on Thursday, June 21st, 1979 will now be held at 9.30 a.m. on the same day.

A Petition was presented by Mr. Rotenberg re Bill 100. (*Sessional Paper No. 120*).

Mrs. Campbell from the Standing Members' Services Committee presented the Committee's Report and moved its adoption. The Committee's Report was read as follows:

Your Committee has the honour to present its Second Report and recommends as follows:—

That standardized procedures be established by the Government to ensure that the Legislative Library receive automatically, and as soon as possible after publication, two copies of all published research, public briefs and submissions, published back-up documentation and published reports from commissions of inquiry related to the Government of Ontario.

On motion by Mrs. Campbell,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, on Thursday, June 21, the House will meet at 10.00 a.m. with a luncheon interval from 1.00 to 2.00 p.m. with the routine proceedings to be called at 2.00 p.m.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 135, An Act to amend The Police Act. *Mr. McMurtry.*

Bill 137, An Act to amend The Municipal Act. *Mr. Wildman.*

Bill 138, An Act to amend The Education Act, 1974. *Mr. Wildman.*

Bill 139, An Act to amend The Legislative Assembly Act. *Mr. Welch.*

Bill 140, An Act to amend The Executive Council Act. *Mr. Welch.*

The Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 225 and 226. (*See Hansard*).

The Interim Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 222, 223, 224, 227 and 235. (*See Hansard*).

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain Bill:—

After some time, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report progress on the following Bill:—

Bill 100, An Act respecting Local Government in the District of Parry Sound.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

Debate on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 103, An Act to amend The Municipal Act was adjourned.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain Bill:—

After some time, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bill with certain amendments:—

Bill 100, An Act respecting Local Government in the District of Parry Sound.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

The Interim Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 228 to 234 inclusive. (*See Hansard*).

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bills were read the second time:—

Bill 80, An Act to amend The Veterinarians Act. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

Bill 81, An Act to amend The Hunter Damage Compensation Act. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

Bill 82, An Act to amend The Dog Licensing and Live Stock and Poultry Protection Act. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

Bill 113, An Act for the establishment and conduct of a Project in the Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto for the development of improved methods of processing certain Civil Actions. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill 80, An Act to amend The Veterinarians Act.

Bill 81, An Act to amend The Hunter Damage Compensation Act.

Bill 82, An Act to amend The Dog Licensing and Live Stock and Poultry Protection Act.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider certain Bills:—

After some time, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bills with certain amendments:—

Bill 8, An Act to amend The Trees Act.

Bill 111, An Act to amend The Judicature Act.

Bill 112, An Act to amend The County Judges Act.

Also, that the Committee had directed him to report the following Bill without amendment:—

Bill 113, An Act for the establishment and conduct of a Project in the Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto for the development and improved methods of processing certain Civil Actions.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill 8, An Act to amend The Trees Act.

Bill 111, An Act to amend The Judicature Act.

Bill 112, An Act to amend The County Judges Act.

Bill 113, An Act for the establishment and conduct of a Project in the Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto for the development of improved methods of processing certain Civil Actions.

The House then adjourned at 10.30 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Annual Report of the Teachers' Superannuation Commission for the year ending December 31st 1978 (*No. 118*).

Compendium re: Bill 135, An Act to amend The Police Act (*No. 119*).

Petition from the Member for Wilson Heights re: Bill 100, An Act respecting Local Government in the District of Parry Sound. (*No. 120*).

SIXTY-FIFTH DAY

TUESDAY, JUNE 19TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. McCaffrey from the Standing General Government Committee presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill with certain amendments:—

Bill 163, An Act to reform the Law respecting Residential Tenancies. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

Mr. Gaunt from the Standing Social Development Committee presented the Committee's Report and moved its adoption. The Committee's Report was read as follows:

Your Committee has reconsidered the report presented to the House on Friday, May 25, and printed in the Votes and Proceedings of that date, and reaffirms that report as the Committee's final report on the Lakeshore Psychiatric Hospital enquiry.

On motion by Mr. Gaunt,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, Mr. Mackenzie be substituted for Mr. Di Santo on the Select Committee on Ontario Hydro Affairs.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That the Standing Administration of Justice Committee and the Standing Resources Development Committee be authorized to sit tomorrow afternoon.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 141, An Act to regulate Driving Schools. *Mr. Snow*.

The Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 238, 239, 240 and 248. (*See Hansard*).

The Interim Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 214 to 217 inclusive, 242 to 245 inclusive, 250, 251, 254, 265, 266, 267 and 269. (*See Hansard*).

The following Bill was read the second time:—

Bill 89, An Act to amend The Public Commercial Vehicles Act. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House*.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider certain Bills:—

After some time, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bills with certain amendments:—

Bill 89, An Act to amend The Public Commercial Vehicles Act.

Bill 90, An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act.

Bill 99, An Act to amend The Public Transportation and Highway Improvement Act.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill 89, An Act to amend The Public Commercial Vehicles Act.

Bill 90, An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act.

Bill 99, An Act to amend The Public Transportation and Highway Improvement Act.

The following Bills were read the second time:—

Bill 119, An Act to provide for Municipal Hydro-Electric Service in The Regional Municipality of Halton. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

Bill 123, An Act to provide for Municipal Hydro-Electric Service in The Regional Municipality of Durham. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

The following Bill was read the third time and was passed:—

Bill 123, An Act to provide for Municipal Hydro-Electric Service in The Regional Municipality of Durham.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain Bill:—

After some time, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bill with certain amendments:—

Bill 119, An Act to provide for Municipal Hydro-Electric Service in The Regional Municipality of Halton.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

The following Bill was read the third time and was passed:—

Bill 119, An Act to provide for Municipal Hydro-Electric Service in The Regional Municipality of Halton.

The House then adjourned at 5.45 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Annual Report of the Office of the Registrar General (*No. 121*).

Twelfth Annual Report of the Ontario Law Reform Commission, 1978 (*No. 122*).

Compendium re: Bill 141, An Act to regulate Driving Schools (*No. 123*).

SIXTY-SIXTH DAY

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 20TH, 1979

The following Committees met:—

The Select Committee on Ontario Hydro Affairs.

The Standing Administration of Justice Committee.

The Standing General Government Committee.

The Standing Resources Development Committee.

The Standing Social Development Committee.

SIXTY-SEVENTH DAY

THURSDAY, JUNE 21ST, 1979

PRAYERS

10.00 O'CLOCK A.M.

On motion by Mr. Miller (Muskoka), seconded by Mr. Welch,

Resolved, That the authority of the Treasurer of Ontario granted on March 29th, 1979, to pay the salaries of the civil servants and other necessary payments pending the voting of Supply for the period commencing April 1st, 1979, be extended to October 31st, 1979, such payments to be charged to the proper appropriation following the voting of Supply.

The following Bills were read the second time:—

Bill 133, An Act to repeal The Income Tax Discounters Act, 1977. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

Bill 135, An Act to amend The Police Act. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

Bill 139, An Act to amend The Legislative Assembly Act. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

Bill 140, An Act to amend The Executive Council Act. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill 133, An Act to repeal The Income Tax Discounters Act, 1977.

Bill 135, An Act to amend The Police Act.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider certain Bills:—

After some time, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bills with certain amendments:—

Bill 96, An Act to amend The Planning Act.

Bill 139, An Act to amend The Legislative Assembly Act.

Bill 140, An Act to amend The Executive Council Act.

Also, that the Committee had directed him to report progress on the following Bill:—

Bill 163, An Act to reform the Law respecting Residential Tenancies.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

By unanimous consent, the House continued to sit past 1.00 p.m.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain Bill:—

After some time, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported,

That the Committee had directed him to report progress on the following Bill:—

Bill 163, An Act to reform the Law respecting Residential Tenancies.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

THE AFTERNOON SITTING

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Ministers' Statements and Question Period to 3.12 p.m.

Mr. Speaker addressed the House as follows:—

I beg to inform the House that I have today laid upon the Table the "Individual Members' Expenditures for the Fiscal Year 1978-79." (*Sessional Paper No. 133*).

Mr. Gaunt from the Standing Social Development Committee presented the Committee's Report and moved its adoption (*Sessional Paper No. 128*).

On motion by Mr. Gaunt,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

Mr. McCaffrey from the Standing General Government Committee presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill with certain amendments:—

Bill Pr9, An Act respecting the City of Ottawa.

Mr. Villeneuve from the Standing Resources Development Committee presented the Committee's Interim Report and moved its adoption. (*Sessional Paper No. 125*).

On motion by Mr. Villeneuve,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

Mr. Philip from the Standing Administration of Justice Committee presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill with certain amendments:—

Bill Pr5, An Act respecting the City of Toronto.

Mr. Williams from the Standing Statutory Instruments Committee presented the Committee's first report and moved its adoption. (*Sessional Paper No. 124*).

On motion by Mr. Williams,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 142, An Act to amend The Residential Premises Rent Review Act, 1975 (2nd Session). *Mr. Drea*.

Bill 143, An Act to amend The Election Act. *Mr. Johnston*. (Scarborough West).

Interim Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 249 and 257. (*See Hansard*).

Mr. Ramsay moved, seconded by Mr. Gregory,

That, in the opinion of this House, The Government should give consideration to the reduction of the writ period for Provincial General Elections and By-Elections to a length of 30 days.

And a debate arising, at 4.42 p.m. further proceedings on the motion were reserved until 5.50 p.m.

Mr. Ruston then moved, seconded by Mr. Newman (Windsor-Walkerville),

That, in the opinion of this House, the Government of Ontario should initiate serious negotiations with the Ontario Medical Association to ensure that Ontario

doctors, in particular general practitioners, are compensated fairly in comparison with doctors in other North American jurisdictions, and that once such a compensation scheme is decided upon, those doctors who feel it is inadequate and who opt out of OHIP be obligated to opt out completely. And furthermore, that the Government of Ontario review the whole field of institutional health care to ensure that adequate personnel and adequate beds—active treatment, chronic care and nursing home—are available to care for the needs of all patients.

Pursuant to Standing Order 64 (e) no objection having been made to the putting of the question on Mr. Ramsay's Resolution (*No. 20*) the question having been put was carried on the following division:—

AYES

Ashe	Kerrio	Rowe
Auld	Lane	Scrivener
Baetz	Leluk	Smith
Bennett	Maeck	(Hamilton West)
Bernier	McCaffrey	Snow
Birch	McCague	Stephenson
Bolan	McEwen	Sterling
Brunelle	McMurtry	Sweeney
Cureatz	McNeil	Taylor
Drea	Miller	(Prince Edward-Lennox)
Eaton	(Haldimand-Norfolk)	Taylor
Elgie	Newman	(Simcoe Centre)
Gregory	(Durham-York)	Turner
Haggerty	Nixon	Van Horne
Handleman	O'Neil	Villeneuve
Havrot	Parrott	Walker
Henderson	Peterson	Watson
Hodgson	Pope	Welch
Johnson	Ramsay	Wells
(Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)	Reid	Williams
Kennedy	(Rainy River)	Wiseman
Kerr	Rotenberg	Yakabuski—59.

NAYS

Belanger	Davison	Johnston
Bounsall	(Hamilton Centre)	(Scarborough West)
Bradley	Dukszta	Laughren
Breaugh	Edighoffer	Lawlor
Breithaupt	Epp	Lupusella
Bryden	Foulds	MacBeth
Campbell	Gaunt	MacDonald
Cassidy	Germa	Mackenzie
Charlton	Gigantes	Makarchuk
Cooke	Grande	Mancini
Cunningham	Hall	Martel
Davidson	Isaacs	McClellan
(Cambridge)		

NAYS—Continued

McGuigan
Newman
(Windsor-Walkerville)

Philip
Renwick

Riddell
Roy
Ruston
Samis
Sargent

Warner
Worton
Ziemba—46.

Resolved, That, in the opinion of this House, The Government should give consideration to the reduction of the writ period for Provincial General Elections and By-Elections to a length of 30 days.

Pursuant to Standing Order 64 (e) the following members signified their objection to the Question being put on Mr. Ruston's Resolution (*No. 21*).

Auld
Ashe
Baetz
Bennett
Bernier
Birch
Brunelle
Drea
Elgie
Gregory
Havrot
Henderson

Hodgson
Johnson
(Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)
Kennedy
Lane
Maeck
McCaffrey
McCague
Newman
(Durham York)
Parrott

Pope
Ramsay
Rowe
Stephenson
Turner
Villeneuve
Walker
Watson
Welch
Williams
Wiseman—32.

and accordingly the Question was not put.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain Bill:—

After some time, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bill without amendment:—

Bill 163, An Act to reform the Law respecting Residential Tenancies.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill 96, An Act to amend The Planning Act.

Bill 139, An Act to amend The Legislative Assembly Act.

Bill 140, An Act to amend The Executive Council Act.

A debate arose on the motion for Third Reading of Bill 163, An Act to reform the Law respecting Residential Tenancies, and after some time, the motion was carried on the following division:—

AYES

Ashe	Kerrio	Rotenberg
Auld	Lane	Rowe
Belanger	Leluk	Roy
Bennett	Maeck	Ruston
Bernier	Mancini	Scrivener
Birch	McCaffrey	Smith
Bolan	McCague	(Hamilton West)
Breithaupt	McMurtry	Stephenson
Brunelle	McNeil	Sterling
Cureatz	Miller	Sweeney
Davis	(Haldimand-Norfolk)	Taylor
Drea	Newman	(Prince Edward-Lennox)
Eaton	(Durham-York)	Taylor
Elgie	Newman	(Simcoe Centre)
Epp	(Windsor-Walkerville)	Turner
Gregory	Nixon	Van Horne
Handleman	O'Neil	Villeneuve
Havrot	Parrott	Walker
Henderson	Peterson	Watson
Hodgson	Pope	Welch
Johnson	Ramsay	Wells
(Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)	Reed	Williams
Kennedy	(Halton-Burlington)	Worton—63.
Kerr	Riddell	

NAYS

Bounsall	Germa	Mackenzie
Breaugh	Gigantes	Makarchuk
Bryden	Grande	Martel
Cassidy	Isaacs	McClellan
Charlton	Johnston	Philip
Cooke	(Scarborough West)	Renwick
Davidson	Laughren	Samis
(Cambridge)	Lawlor	Swart
Davison	Lupusella	Warner
(Hamilton Centre)	MacDonald	Ziemba—28.
Foulds		

And the Bill was accordingly read the third time and was passed.

THE EVENING SITTING

8.30 O'CLOCK P.M.

The debate on the motion for adoption of the Report of the Standing Members' Services Committee dated June 18th, 1979 re: Legislative Library, was resumed, and after some time, the Report as follows was adopted:—

That standardized procedures be established by the Government to ensure that the Legislative Library receive automatically, and as soon as possible after publication, two copies of all published research, public briefs and submissions, published back-up documentation and published reports from commissions of inquiry related to the Government of Ontario.

The Order of the Day for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion for Adoption of the Report of the Standing Members' Services Committee dated May 31, 1979 re: Legislative Library, was discharged.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, the recommendations of the Sixth Report of the Select Committee on the Ombudsman be referred to the Committee of the Whole House for consideration.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider the recommendations contained in the Sixth Report of the Select Committee on the Ombudsman:—

After some time, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the following recommendations:—

1. Your Committee concurs in the recommendation that the Ministry of Health consider what changes should be made to The Public Hospitals Act and Section 47 in particular, including changes in the quorum provisions and length of membership respecting the Hospital Appeal Board, to give better effect to the principle of a widely distributed membership of the Hospital Appeal Board. Further, the Ministry of Health cause an inquiry to be made into the provisions of The Public Hospitals Act to identify and to correct any acts flowing from Sections 44 to 50 of the Act which may be improperly discriminatory.

2. Your Committee concurs in the recommendations that the Legislature require The Workmen's Compensation Board to implement the recommendations of the Ombudsman made pursuant to Section 22(3) of The Ombudsman Act made to The Workmen's Compensation Board in Complaint No. 76 as reported in his Fourth Report to the Legislature by granting the complainant in question entitlement to the sum necessary to purchase the commercial type heating lamp which has previously been requested. (Pages 15-16).

3. Your Committee concurs in the recommendation that the Legislature require The Workmen's Compensation Board to implement the recommendation of the Ombudsman made to The Workmen's Compensation Board pursuant to Section 22(3) of The Ombudsman Act in Complaint No. 79 of his Fourth Report by reconsidering its Appeal Board decision of March 4, 1976 and granting entitlement to the complainant on the basis of an aggravation of a pre-existing back disability, to temporary total disability benefits from September 4, 1974 until such time as it is established that the complainant was medically fit to return to employment within the complainant's capabilities.

4. Your Committee concurs in the recommendation that The Workmen's Compensation Board increase the complainant's temporary partial disability beyond 50% for the period March 2nd, 1968 to May 22nd, 1968 by an amount determined by the Board to be appropriate in the circumstances.

5. Your Committee concurs in the recommendation that The Workmen's Compensation Board implement the Ombudsman's recommendation by awarding the complainant a permanent disability award which would more adequately reflect the prevailing medical opinions as to the permanent disability resulting from the two compensable accidents. In making this recommendation, the Committee is of the opinion that this disability award should be something in excess of 20%.

6. Your Committee concurs in the recommendation that The Workmen's Compensation Board implement the Ombudsman's recommendation by awarding entitlement to the complainant for the period of disability commencing June, 1973 and ending March, 1975.

7. Your Committee concurs in the recommendation that The Workmen's Compensation Board assess and determine the nature and extent of the disability benefits for the period in question which it considers adequate and appropriate in the circumstances.

8. Your Committee concurs in the recommendation that The Workmen's Compensation Board revoke its decision dated March 3, 1976 and order that the complainant is entitled to a permanent disability award respecting the low back disability for the periods referenced in the Ombudsman's Report.

9. Your Committee concurs in the recommendation that The Workmen's Compensation Board implement the recommendation of the Ombudsman by awarding the complainant temporary total disability benefits for the time lost at work as a result of the injury which occurred at work in July, 1976.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

One matter was debated on the motion to adjourn and the House then adjourned at 10.35 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Annual Report of the Ontario Civil Service Commission 1978/79 (No. 126).

Report of the Law Foundation of Ontario for the year 1978 (*No. 127*).

Memorandum of Agreement dated June 21, 1979 and Notes re: New OHIP Schedule of Benefits Negotiating Process between the Government and the Ontario Medical Association (*No. 129*).

Advisory Council on Occupational Health and Occupational Safety First Annual Report 1 April, 1978 to 31 March, 1979 (*No. 130*).

Reply to the Question from the Leader of the Liberal Party on Cornwall Island fluoride levels tabled by the Minister of the Environment (*No. 131*).

Letter from the Minister of the Environment to Mr. R. S. Harlow, Canadian Applied Technology, Buttonville Airport 16th Avenue, Buttonville, Ontario (*No. 132*).

Annual Report of the Ontario Northland Transportation Commission, 1978 (*No. 134*).

Annual Report of The Board of Funeral Services, December 31st, 1978 (*No. 135*).

List of Publications concerning Matacil (*No. 136*).

SIXTY-EIGHTH DAY

FRIDAY, JUNE 22ND, 1979

PRAYERS

10.00 O'CLOCK A.M.

Mr. Philip from the Standing Administration of Justice Committee presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill Pr13, An Act respecting Massey Hall.

Bill Pr14, An Act to revive The January School As Montcrest School.

Bill Pr16, An Act respecting the Trustees of the Windsor Grove Cemetery.

Your Committee would recommend that the fees, less the actual cost of printing, be remitted on Bill Pr13, An Act respecting Massey Hall and Bill Pr14, An Act to revive The January School as Montcrest School.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, when the House adjourns today, it stand adjourned until Wednesday the 10th day of October, on which day the Committees will sit as

scheduled, the House to sit in the Chamber on Thursday, provided that, if it appears to Mr. Speaker, on the advice of the Government, that the public interest requires the House to meet at an earlier time during the adjournment, Mr. Speaker may give notice, and thereupon the House shall meet at the time stated in such notice; and that, should Mr. Speaker be unable to act, owing to illness or other cause, the Deputy Speaker or the Deputy Chairman of Committees of the Whole House shall act in his stead for the purposes of this order.

Mr. Welch moved that on the request of the Standing Resources Development Committee, the Committee, while sitting during the recess to consider the Hydro matter referred to it may, if necessary, ask Mr. Speaker through the Office of the Clerk, to issue his warrant or warrants for the attendance of a witness or witnesses, and a debate arising, after some time,

Mr. Nixon moved that the motion be amended by adding thereto the following words:—

“and for the production of papers and things deemed necessary by the Committee”,

the motion, as amended was then declared carried.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That the following substitutions be made:

On the Standing Resources Development Committee:

Mr. Taylor (Prince Edward-Lennox) for Mr. Yakabuski

On the Standing Administration of Justice Committee:

Mr. Jones for Mr. Cureatz

Mr. Kennedy for Mr. Rotenberg

Mr. McCaffrey for Mr. Sterling

Mr. Ramsay for Mr. Taylor (Prince Edward-Lennox)

Mr. Turner for Mr. Williams

On the Select Committee on Company Law:

Mr. Handleman for Mr. Cureatz

On the Select Committee on the Ombudsman:

Mr. Isaacs for Mr. Grande

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That Mr. Rotenberg be substituted for Mr. Rollins in the Order of Precedence for Private Members Public Business and that all Members of the Conservative Caucus listed on the new ballot be advanced by one place in their turn.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That, Mr. Mancini replace Mr. Haggerty on the Standing Procedural Affairs Committee.

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That the following Standing Committees be authorized to meet during the summer recess in accordance with the schedule of meetings agreed to by the three party whips to consider matters referred to them by the House:

Resources Development Committee
Administration of Justice Committee
Public Accounts Committee and
Procedural Affairs Committee.

Mr. Welch moved,

That, the Order for Third Reading of Bill 100, An Act respecting Local Government in the District of Parry Sound, be discharged and the Bill be referred back to Committee of the Whole House, and a debate arising, after some time, the motion was carried on the following division:—

AYES

Auld
Baetz
Belanger
Birch
Bounsall
Breauagh
Brunelle
Bryden
Cassidy
Charlton
Cooke
Cureatz
Davis
Davidson
(Cambridge)

Davison
(Hamilton Centre)
Drea
Eaton
Foulds
Germa
Grande
Gregory
Handleman
Havrot
Henderson
Hodgson
Isaacs
Johnson
(Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)

Jones
Kennedy
Lane
Laughren
Leluk
MacDonald
Mackenzie
Maeck
Makarchuk
Martel
McCaffrey
McCague
McClellan
Newman
(Durham-York)

AYES—Continued

Parrott
Philip
Pope
Ramsay
Rotenberg
Rowe
Snow
Stephenson

Sterling
Swart
Taylor
(Prince Edward-Lennox)
Taylor
(Simcoe Centre)
Turner
Villeneuve

Walker
Warner
Watson
Welch
Wells
Williams
Wiseman
Yakabuski
Ziemba—64.

NAYS

Blundy
Bradley
Campbell
Conway
Cunningham
Eakins
Epp
Gaunt
Haggerty

Kerrio
Mancini
McEwen
McGuigan
McKessock
Miller
(Haldimand-Norfolk)
Newman
(Windsor-Walkerville)

Nixon
O'Neil
Peterson
Riddell
Ruston
Smith
(Hamilton West)
Sweeney
Worton—24.

and the Bill was accordingly *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House*.

A Return was tabled to Question No. 256 (*Sessional Paper No. 140*).

The Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 228 to 234 inclusive, 241, 246, 252, 253, 255, 258, 259, 261, 262, 270 and 271. (*See Hansard*).

The Interim Answer was tabled to Question No. 247. (*See Hansard*).

The following Bills were read the second time:—

Bill 131, An Act respecting the Village of Point Edward. *Ordered for Third Reading*.

Bill 142, An Act to amend The Residential Premises Rent Review Act, 1975 (2nd Session). *Ordered for Third Reading*.

The following Bills were read the second time and *Ordered for Third Reading*,

Bill Pr9, An Act respecting the City of Ottawa.

Bill Pr13, An Act respecting Massey Hall.

Bill Pr14, An Act to revive The January School as Montcrest School.

Bill Pr16, An Act respecting The Trustees of the Windsor Grove Cemetery.

The following Bills were read the thrid time and were passed:—

Bill 131, An Act respecting the Village of Point Edward.

Bill 142, An Act to amend The Residential Premises Rent Review Act, 1975 (2nd Session).

Bill Pr9, An Act respecting the City of Ottawa.

Bill Pr13, An Act respecting Massey Hall.

Bill Pr14, An Act to revive The January School as Montcrest School.

Bill Pr16, An Act respecting The Trustees of the Windsor Grove Cemetery.

By unanimous consent the House agreed to sit until 2.00 p.m.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain Bill:—

After some time, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bill with a certain amendment:—

Bill 100, An Act respecting Local Government in the District of Parry Sound.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

The following Bill was read the third time and was passed:—

Bill 100, An Act respecting Local Government in the District of Parry Sound.

The following Bills were read the second time:—

Bill 95, An Act to amend The Regional Municipality of Haldimand-Norfolk Act, 1973. *Ordered for Third Reading*.

Bill 101, An Act to amend The Public Utilities Act. *Ordered for Third Reading*.

Bill 103, Act to amend The Municipal Act. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House*.

Bill 104, An Act to amend The Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto Act.
Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.

Bill 116, An Act to amend The District Municipality of Muskoka Act. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

Bill 117, An Act to amend The County of Oxford Act, 1974. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill 95, An Act to amend The Regional Municipality of Haldimand-Norfolk Act, 1973.

Bill 101, An Act to amend The Public Utilities Act.

Bill 116, An Act to amend The District Municipality of Muskoka Act.

Bill 117, An Act to amend The County of Oxford Act, 1974.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider certain Bills:—

After some time, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bill with a certain amendment:—

Bill 103, An Act to amend The Municipal Act.

Also, That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bill without amendment:—

Bill 104, An Act to amend The Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto Act.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill 103, An Act to amend The Municipal Act.

Bill 104, An Act to amend The Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto Act.

The Answer was tabled to Question No. 260 (*See Hansard*).

On motion by Mr. Welch,

Ordered, That the Standing Administration of Justice Committee, the Standing Resources Development Committee and the Standing General Government Committee meet the morning of October 10th for the purpose of considering estimates.

Administration of Justice Committee—estimates of the Ministry of Consumer and Commercial Relations.

Resources Development Committee—estimates of the Ministry of Natural Resources.

General Government Committee—Office of the Assembly estimates.

The Honourable the Lieutenant Governor of the Province entered the Chamber of the Legislative Assembly and took her seat upon the Throne.

Mr. Speaker addressed Her Honour in the following words:—

“May it please Your Honour:

The Legislative Assembly of the Province has at its present Sittings thereof passed certain Bills to which, in the name and on behalf of the said Legislative Assembly, I respectfully request Your Honour’s Assent”.

The Clerk Assistant then read the titles of the Bills that had passed as follows:—

“The following are the titles of the Bills to which Your Honour’s Assent is prayed:

Bill 8, An Act to amend The Trees Act.

Bill 46, An Act to amend The Local Improvement Act.

Bill 80, An Act to amend The Veterinarians Act.

Bill 81, An Act to amend The Hunter Damage Compensation Act.

Bill 82, An Act to amend The Dog Licensing and Live Stock And Poultry Protection Act.

Bill 89, An Act to amend The Public Commercial Vehicles Act.

Bill 90, An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act.

Bill 95, An Act to amend The Regional Municipality of Haldimand-Norfolk Act, 1973.

Bill 96, An Act to amend The Planning Act.

Bill 99, An Act to amend The Public Transportation and Highway Improvement Act.

Bill 100, An Act respecting Local Government in the District of Parry Sound.

Bill 101, An Act to amend The Public Utilities Act.

Bill 103, An Act to amend The Municipal Act.

Bill 104, An Act to amend The Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto Act.

Bill 111, An Act to amend The Judicature Act.

Bill 112, An Act to amend The County Judges Act.

Bill 113, An Act for the establishment and conduct of a Project in the Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto for the development of improved methods of processing certain Civil Actions.

Bill 116, An Act to amend The District Municipality of Muskoka Act.

Bill 117, An Act to amend The County of Oxford Act, 1974.

Bill 119, An Act to provide for Municipal Hydro-Electric Service in The Regional Municipality of Halton.

Bill 123, An Act to provide for Municipal Hydro-Electric Service in The Regional Municipality of Durham.

Bill 131, An Act respecting the Village of Point Edward.

Bill 133, An Act to repeal The Income Tax Discounters Act, 1977.

Bill 135, An Act to amend The Police Act.

Bill 139, An Act to amend The Legislative Assembly Act.

Bill 140, An Act to amend The Executive Council Act.

Bill 142, An Act to amend The Residential Premises Rent Review Act, 1975 (2nd Session).

Bill 163, An Act to reform the Law respecting Residential Tenancies.

Bill Pr9, An Act respecting the City of Ottawa.

Bill Pr13, An Act respecting Massey Hall.

Bill Pr14, An Act to revive The January School as Montcrest School.

Bill Pr16, An Act respecting The Trustees of the Windsor Grove Cemetery".

To these Acts the Royal Assent was announced by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly in the following words:

"In Her Majesty's name, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor doth assent to these bills".

Her Honour was then pleased to retire.

The House then adjourned for the summer recess at 2.15 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Ontario Energy Corporation 1978 Annual Report (*No. 137*).

Details on Waste Site Identification Program (*No. 138*).

Foreign Ownership of Agricultural Land in Kent and Huron Counties (*No. 139*).

Ontario Highway Transport Board Annual Report for 1978 (*No. 141*).

SIXTY-NINTH DAY

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 10TH, 1979

The following Committees met:—

The Standing Administration of Justice Committee.

The Standing General Government Committee.

The Standing Resources Development Committee.

The Standing Social Development Committee.

SEVENTIETH DAY

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 11TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Speaker addressed the House as follows:—

I beg to inform the House that I am tabling a copy of Order-in-Council No. 2493/79 which indicates that the Board of Internal Economy of this House is effective the 11th day of September, 1979, and is composed of the following members, including Mr. Speaker: Honourable Thomas Leonard Wells, Honourable George Raymond McCague, Honourable Douglas Wiseman, Honourable Milton Edward Charles Gregory, Mr. Robert Fletcher Nixon and Mr. Elie Walter Martel. (*Sessional Paper No. 179*).

Mr. Lawlor from the Select Committee on the Ombudsman presented the Committee's Seventh Report (*Sessional Paper No. 180*) and moved the adoption of its recommendations:—

On motion by Mr. Lawlor,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

Mr. Villeneuve from the Standing Resources Development Committee presented the Committee's Report on the Pickering "B" Generating Station Steam Generators Supplied to Ontario Hydro by Babcock & Wilcox (Canada) Ltd. and moved its adoption (*Sessional Paper No. 178*).

On motion by Mr. Villeneuve,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That notwithstanding the motion of the House adopted on April 9, 1979 the estimates be referred to the Standing Resources Development Committee in the following order:

Transportation and Communications —completed April 24

Agriculture and Food —completed May 29

Environment 18 hours

Natural Resources 16 hours

Housing 10 hours

Industry and Tourism 15 hours

Labour 23 hours

Energy 15 hours

Resources Development Policy 5 hours

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That Mr. Jones be substituted for Mr. Gregory in the order of precedence for private members' public business and that all members of the Progressive Conservative caucus listed below be advanced by one place in their turn.

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That the following substitutions be made:

on Standing General Government Committee

Mr. Watson for Mr. Rowe

on Standing Resources Development Committee

Mr. Newman (Durham York) for Mr. Watson

Mr. Yakabuski for Mr. Johnson (Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)

Ms. Gigantes for Mr. Foulds

on Standing Administration of Justice Committee

Mr. Cureatz for Mr. Jones

Mr. Rotenberg for Mr. Kennedy

Mr. Sterling for Mr. McCaffrey

Mr. Johnson (Wellington-Dufferin-Peel) for Mr. Ramsay

Mr. Williams for Mr. Turner

on Standing Social Development Committee

Mr. Rowe for Mr. Pope

Mr. Johnston (Scarborough West) for Ms. Gigantes

The following Bills were introduced, read the first time and referred to the Standing Administration of Justice Committee:

Bill Pr17, An Act to revive the Dinorwic Metis Corporation. *Mr. Hennessy.*

Bill Pr20, An Act respecting Ontario Bible College and Ontario Theological Seminary. *Mr. Williams.*

Bill Pr26, An Act to revive Smith Brothers Jewellers, Limited. *Mr. Sterling.*

The following Bills were introduced, read the first time and referred to the Standing General Government Committee:—

Bill Pr10, An Act respecting the City of Hamilton. *Mr. Mackenzie.*

Bill Pr19, An Act respecting the City of Cornwall. *Mr. Samis.*

The Answers were tabled to Questions 166, 173, 214, 215, 216, 217, 222, 223, 227, 235-237, 242-245, 247, 249, 250, 254, 257, 259, 263-269, 272-274 and 276 (*See Hansard*)

Mr. Charlton moved Second Reading of Bill 126, An Act to amend The Employment Standards Act, 1974, and a debate arising, at 4.37 p.m. further proceedings on the motion were reserved until 5.50 p.m. and:—

Mr. Rotenberg then moved, seconded by Mr. Rowe,

That in the opinion of this House the Government consider requiring the payment of interest to suppliers of goods and services to the Government, on accounts outstanding longer than 30 days.

Pursuant to Standing Order 64(e) the following members signified their objection to the question being put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 126, An Act to amend The Employment Standards Act, 1974.

Ashe
Baetz
Belanger
Bernier
Birch
Brunelle
Cureatz
Drea
Eaton
Elgie
Gregory
Grossman
Henderson
Hennessy

Johnson
(Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)
Kerr
Lane
MaecK
McCaffrey
McNeil
Newman
(Durham York)
Norton
Parrott
Ramsay
Rotenberg

Rowe
Scrivener
Smith
(Simcoe East)
Stephenson
Sterling
Taylor
(Simcoe Centre)
Villeneuve
Watson
Welch
Wells
Wiseman—36.

and accordingly the Question was not put.

Pursuant to Standing Order 64(e) no objection having been made to the putting of the question on Mr. Rotenberg's Resolution (*No. 29*) the question having been put was declared carried, and it was,

Resolved, That in the opinion of this House the Government consider requiring the payment of interest to suppliers of goods and services to the Government, on accounts outstanding longer than 30 days.

The Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 197, 224, 251 and 275 (*See Hansard*)

The House then adjourned at 6.00 p.m.

NOTE:

The answer to question No. 271 was tabled on June 22nd 1979.

The answer to question 259 tabled on June 22nd, 1979 was an interim answer only.

Sessional Papers presented during the recess were Tabled as follows:—

1978 Annual Report of the Ontario Municipal Employees Retirement Board (*No. 142*).

Workmen's Compensation Board Annual Report 1978 (*No. 143*).

Ontario Rent Review Program Report to the Minister 1978 (*No. 144*).

Sixth Report of the Ombudsman for the period October 1, 1978 to March 31, 1979 (*No. 145*).

Ninety-ninth Annual Report of the Superintendent of Insurance Business of 1977 (*No. 146*).

Annual Report 1977 of the Registrar, Loan and Trust Corporations (*No. 147*).

Securities Regulation and Freedom of Information, Research Publication 8 prepared for the Commission on Freedom of Information and Individual Privacy (*No. 148*).

1978 Annual Report of the HUDAC New Home Warranty Program (*No. 149*).

Answer to an oral question from the Member for Scarborough-Ellesmere, by the Attorney General re: allegations of assault against a Mr. Rodney Turner by members of the Metropolitan Toronto Police Force (*No. 150*).

Ontario Energy Board Annual Report for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1979 (*No. 151*).

Rule-Making Hearings: A General Statute for Ontario?, Research Publication 9 prepared for the Commission on Freedom of Information and Individual Privacy (*No. 152*).

Public Service Superannuation Board Annual Report for the year ending March 31, 1979 (*No. 153*).

Ontario Council on University Affairs Fifth Annual Report March 1, 1978 to February 28, 1979 (*No. 154*).

Public Service Superannuation Fund, Statement of Fund and Report on the Audit for the year ended March 31, 1979 (*No. 155*).

Superannuation Adjustment Fund, Financial Statement and Report on the Audit for the year ended March 31, 1979 (*No. 156*).

The Ontario Education Capital Aid Corporation, Financial Statements and Report on the Audit for the year ended March 31, 1979 (*No. 157*).

The Ontario Universities Capital Aid Corporation, Financial Statements and Report on the Audit for the year ended March 31, 1979 (*No. 158*).

The Ontario Municipal Improvement Corporation, Financial Statements and Report on the Audit for the year ended March 31, 1979 (*No. 159*).

Toronto Area Transit Operating Authority Annual Report for the year ended March 31, 1979 (*No. 160*).

Annual Report for the Ministry of Transportation and Communications for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1979 (*No. 161*).

Ministry of Government Services Annual Report for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1979 (*No. 162*).

Annual Report for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1979 of the Minister of Agriculture and Food (*No. 163*).

Annual Report of the Ontario Stock Yards Board for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1979 (*No. 164*).

The Fund for Milk and Cream Producers, Financial Statement and Report on the Audit for the year ended March 31, 1979 (*No. 165*).

Annual Report Ontario Agricultural Museum for the fiscal year 1978-79 (*No. 166*).

Annual Report for the St. Lawrence Parks Commission for the year ending March 31, 1979 (*No. 167*).

Annual Report for the Algonquin Forestry Authority for the year ending March 31, 1979 (*No. 168*).

Annual Report for the Ministry of Natural Resources for the year ending March 31, 1979 (*No. 169*).

The McMichael Canadian Collection Annual Report 1978-79 (*No. 170*).

Ontario Food Terminal, Minister's Report May 11, 1979 (*No. 171*).

Second Annual Report of the Superintendent of Insurance on the Ontario Share and Deposit Insurance Corporation for the year ending December 31, 1978 (*No. 172*).

Ontario Share and Deposit Insurance Corporation Annual Report 1978 (*No. 173*).

Annual Report of the Ministry of Consumer and Commercial Relations for the year ending March 1979, including the First Annual Report of The Discriminatory

Business Practices Act, the Annual Report of the Director of Land Registration, and the Annual Report of the Pension Commission of Ontario (*No. 174*).

Liquor Control Board of Ontario Annual Report March 31, 1979 (*No. 175*).

Office of Provincial Auditor—Auditor's Report and Statement of Expenditure March 31, 1979 (*No. 176*).

The Ontario Junior Farmer Establishment Loan Corporation Financial Statements and Report on the Audit for the year ended March 31, 1979 (*No. 177*).

Oil Pricing and Security: A Policy Framework for Canada (*No. 181*).

Public Accounts 1978-79 Volume 1—financial statements (*No. 4*).

SEVENTY-FIRST DAY

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 12TH, 1979

PRAYERS

10.00 O'CLOCK A.M.

Mr. McCaffrey from the Standing General Government Committee reported the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That Supply in the following amount and to defray the expenses of the Office of the Assembly be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980:—

OFFICE OF THE ASSEMBLY:

Office of the Assembly Program\$ 19,095,400

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That Bill Pr8, An Act respecting the City of Hamilton be withdrawn from the Administration of Justice Committee and be referred to the General Government Committee.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply, to consider Estimates of the Ministry of Intergovernmental Affairs,

and after some time,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported progress, also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The House then adjourned at 1.00 p.m.

Sessional Paper:—

Energy Security for the Eighties: A Policy for Ontario (*No. 182*).

SEVENTY-SECOND DAY

MONDAY, OCTOBER 15TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That Mr. Kerr be substituted for Mr. Pope in the order of precedence for private members' public business and that all members of the Progressive Conservative caucus listed below be advanced by one place in their turn.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply, to consider Estimates of the Ministry of Intergovernmental Affairs,

and after some time,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported progress, also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The House then adjourned at 6.00 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

The Ontario Educational Communication Authority 1978-79 Annual Report (*No. 183*).

Art Gallery of Ontario Annual Report 1978/1979 (*No. 184*).

Ontario Place Corporation Annual Report 1978-79 (*No. 185*).

The Ontario Development Corporations 1978-79 Annual Reports of Loans and Guarantees (*No. 186*).

Long-Range Transport of Air Pollutants Problem in North America: a preliminary overview prepared by the United States-Canada Research Consultation Group tabled by the Minister of the Environment (*No. 187*).

Annual Report of the ARDA Directorate of Ontario for the year ending March 31st 1979 (*No. 188*).

SEVENTY-THIRD DAY

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 16TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

On motion by Mr. Wells, seconded by Mr. McMurtry,

Ordered, That, the Estimates of the Ministries of Housing and Energy be withdrawn from the Standing Resources Development Committee and referred to the Standing General Government Committee to be considered following the completion of the Estimates of the Office of the Provincial Auditor.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 144, An Act to amend The Corporations Act *Mr. Drea*.

Bill 145, An Act to provide for Fiscal Planning in the Government of Ontario. *Mr. Van Horne*.

Before the Orders of the Day, Mr. Speaker delivered the following ruling:—

Yesterday the NDP House Leader, the Member for Sudbury East, raised a Point of Order with respect to the debate to be held today on Sessional Paper No. 181, Oil Pricing and Security: A Policy Framework for Canada and Sessional Paper No. 182, Energy Security for the Eighties: A Policy for Ontario.

An interesting discussion then took place with respect to the authority for the procedure of putting an Order on the Order Paper for consideration of a sessional paper or papers without a motion for that purpose. While it is, of course, correct to say that as a general rule all business is brought before the House by way of motion, there

are, as the House is aware, exceptions to this rule. There is of course the provision of the present Standing Order No. 30(b) by which a committee report may be placed on the Order Paper for discussion simply at the request of the committee in the report or at the request of twenty Members. Also there is the procedure made use of with respect to today's Order. While I agree that this procedure has not been defined by the Standing Orders, and that in the majority of instances the Order has been put on the Order Paper as a result of a motion for that purpose, still there is the clear precedent in 1976 at which time the decision of the House Leaders was announced on Friday, April 30, by the then Government House Leader and the Order was placed on the Order Paper for the following Monday, May 3rd.

I am therefore ruling that as far as the Order of today is concerned, the discussion is in order and will be permitted to proceed. I would however ask that the Procedural Affairs Committee examine this procedure and as quickly as possible make its recommendation with respect thereto, perhaps for an addition to the Standing Orders of the House if that is the committee's decision.

The Order of the Day for consideration of Sessional Paper No. 181, Oil Pricing and Security: A Policy Framework for Canada and Sessional Paper No. 182, Energy Security for the Eighties: A Policy for Ontario, having been read, and a debate arising,

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The debate continued and after some time was concluded.

Two matters were debated on the motion to adjourn and the House then adjourned at 10.45 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Annual Report of the Ontario Mental Health Foundation for 1978-79 (*No. 189*).

Annual Report of the Ministry of Health for 1978/79 (*No. 190*).

Annual Report of the Ontario Cancer Institute incorporating The Princess Margaret Hospital for 1978/79 (*No. 191*).

Annual Report of the Alcoholism and Drug Addiction Research Foundation for 1978-79 (*No. 192*).

SEVENTY-FOURTH DAY

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 17TH, 1979

The following Committees met:—

The Standing Administration of Justice Committee.

The Standing General Government Committee.

The Standing Resources Development Committee.

The Standing Social Development Committee.

SEVENTY-FIFTH DAY

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 18TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Villeneuve from the Standing Resources Development Committee presented the Committee's Final Report on Acidic Precipitation, Abatement of Emissions from the International Nickel Company operations at Sudbury, Pollution Control in the Pulp and Paper Industry, and Pollution Abatement at the Reed Paper Mill in Dryden, and moved its adoption, (*Sessional Paper No. 193*).

On motion by Mr. Villeneuve,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

Mr. Gaunt from the Standing Social Development Committee reported the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That Supply in the following amounts and to defray the expenses of the Ministry of Health be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980:—

MINISTRY OF HEALTH:

Ministry Administration Program	\$ 49,262,000
Institutional Health Services Program	2,747,979,000
Community Health Services Program	130,877,000
Health Insurance Program	1,254,493,000

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That the Select Committee on Ontario Hydro Affairs be authorized to sit Wednesday, October 24th.

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That tomorrow the House consider the Estimates of Management Board of Cabinet and resume the Estimates of the Ministry of Intergovernmental Affairs on Monday, October 22nd.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 146, An Act to amend The Municipal Franchises Act. *Mr. Wells.*

Bill 147, An Act to amend The Local Improvement Act. *Mr. Wells.*

Bill 148, An Act to revise The Certification of Titles Act. *Mr. Drea.*

Bill 149, An Act to amend The Land Titles Act. *Mr. Drea.*

Bill 150, An Act to amend The Registry Act. *Mr. Drea.*

Bill 151, An Act to amend The Education Act, 1974. *Mr. Martel.*

Mr. Miller (Haldimand-Norfolk) moved Second Reading of Bill 134, An Act to provide for an All Ontario Pitch-In-Day and a debate arising at 4.32 p.m. further proceedings on the motion were reserved until 5.50 p.m. and:—

Mr. Young then moved, seconded by Mr. McClellan,

That, in the opinion of this House, the Government of Ontario should take immediate steps to: (a) develop standards and provide support for community residential care services, such as group homes and half-way houses; (b) consider the provision of provincial funding support for local agencies operating that special category of boarding and lodging homes which cater to emotionally, physically or mentally disadvantaged adults; and (c) to provide community support services for the above facilities. And, that in particular: 1. For the purpose of rationalizing the provision of community residential care services, the Government should immediately designate responsibility to a single provincial Ministry, either the Ministry of Community and Social Services, or the Ministry of Health, for the provision of administrative coordination of the existing and future community residential care services. 2. For the purpose of ensuring minimum standards of operation for community care residences the Government should license and regulate all such facilities especially with regards to staffing, recreational and therapeutic programs, etc. Adequate inspection and enforcement procedures should also be developed to ensure compliance with the regulations and licensing requirements. 3. For the purpose of ensuring the approp-

riate provision of community care residences, the Government should: (i) devise criteria to define the population in need of community residential care services; (ii) design the services needed to meet the requirements of this population; (iii) and, develop provincial funding mechanisms for program, capital and operating costs. 4. For the purpose of solving the problems that have occurred in attempting to locate community care residences, the Government should introduce legislation to amend section 35 (1) of *The Planning Act* so as to require municipalities to permit the establishment of licensed community care residences in reasonable proportion to the local populations. 5. For the purpose of ensuring close cooperation between the Province and the municipalities, the Government should form a Community Liaison Section within the designated Ministry to confer with communities regarding the location, size, and type of community residential care facilities in municipalities. 6. For the purpose of ensuring that adults with special personal care needs, living in boarding and lodging homes, receive the services they require, the Government should encourage municipalities to: (i) consider the licensing of a special category of boarding and lodging homes which cater to such adults; (ii) and, to establish for that special category whatever additional personal care and physical facility municipal standards may be necessary. 7. For the purpose of promoting the operation of these special boarding and lodging homes by volunteer, non-profit and municipal agencies, the Government should consider funding these agencies for the capital costs of providing such shelter. 8. For the purposes of improving standards of operation in those boarding and lodging homes within this special category, which are privately owned and operated, the Government should consider providing funds for support services such as public health, social services, community police, and educational programs. 9. The Government should consider devoting a greater portion of provincial funds to the development of a comprehensive body of community support services, including more appropriate support programs, for the physically, mentally, or emotionally handicapped or disadvantaged adults.

Pursuant to Standing Order 64(e) no objection having been made to the putting of the question on Bill 134, An Act to provide for an All Ontario Pitch-In-Day, the question having been put was declared carried.

And the Bill was accordingly read the Second Time and *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House*.

Pursuant to Standing Order 64(e) the following members signified their objection to the question being put on Mr. Young's Resolution (*No. 25*)

Belanger

Bernier

Birch

Brunelle

Cureatz

Drea

Eaton

Elgie

Gregory

Henderson

Hodgson

Johnson

(Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)

Kennedy

Lane

Leluk

Maeck

McCaffrey

McCague

McNeil

Newman

(Durham York)

Norton

Parrott

Ramsay

Rotenberg

Rowe

Snow

Sterling

Taylor

(Simcoe Centre)

Timbrell

Villeneuve

Walker

Watson

Welch

Wells

Williams

Yakabuski—36.

and accordingly the Question was not put.

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Debate on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 122, An Act to provide for the Establishment of Local Service Boards was adjourned.

The House then adjourned at 10.30 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Compendium and consolidation re: Bill 146, An Act to amend The Municipal Franchises Act, 1979. (No. 194).

Compendium re: Bill 147, An Act to amend The Local Improvement Act, 1979 No. 2 (No. 195).

SEVENTY-SIXTH DAY

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 19TH, 1979

PRAYERS

10.00 O'CLOCK A.M.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:

Bill 152, An Act to amend certain Acts respecting Regional Municipalities. *Mr. Wells.*

Bill 153, An Act to amend The Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto Act. *Mr. Wells.*

The Order of the Day for Second Reading of Bill 114, An Act to amend certain Acts respecting Regional Municipalities having been read, it was,

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That the Order for Second Reading of the Bill, be discharged and that the Bill be withdrawn.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply, to consider Estimates of Management Board,

and after some time,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported progress, also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The House then adjourned at 1.00 p.m.

Sessional Papers:

Compendium re: Bill 152, An Act to amend certain Acts respecting Regional Municipalities (*No. 196*).

Compendium and consolidation re: Bill 153, An Act to amend The Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto Act (*No. 197*).

SEVENTY-SEVENTH DAY

MONDAY, OCTOBER 22ND, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply, to consider Estimates of the Ministry of Intergovernmental Affairs.

and after some time,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported progress, also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The House then adjourned at 6.00 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Ontario Ministry of Culture and Recreation Annual Report 1978-1979 (*No. 198*).

Ontario Heritage Foundation Annual Report 1978-1979 (*No. 199*).

SEVENTY-EIGHTH DAY

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 23RD, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 154, An Act to amend The Regional Municipality of Hamilton-Wentworth Act, 1973. *Mr. Wells.*

Bill 155, An Act to provide for Uniform Retail Store Closing Hours. *Mr. Isaacs.*

Bill 156, An Act to amend The Securities Act, 1978. *Mr. Drea.*

The Order of the Day for Second Reading of Bill 132, An Act to amend The Securities Act, 1978, having been read, it was,

On motion by Mr. Drea,

Ordered, That the Order for Second Reading of the Bill, be discharged and that the Bill be withdrawn.

The following Bill was read the second time:—

Bill 86, An Act to amend The Pesticides Act, 1973. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain Bill and, after some time therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bill without amendment:—

Bill 86, An Act to amend The Pesticides Act, 1973.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

The following Bill was read the third time and was passed:—

Bill 86, An Act to amend The Pesticides Act, 1973.

The following Bill was read the second time:—

Bill 144, An Act to amend The Corporations Act. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

The following Bill was read the third time and was passed:—

Bill 144, An Act to amend The Corporations Act.

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bill was read the second time:—

Bill 152, An Act to amend certain Acts respecting Regional Municipalities.
Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain Bill and, after some time therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bill with a certain amendment:—

Bill 152, An Act to amend certain Acts respecting Regional Municipalities.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

The following Bill was read the third time and was passed:—

Bill 152, An Act to amend certain Acts respecting Regional Municipalities.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the amendment to the motion, That this House approves in general the Budgetary policy of the Government, having been read,

The debate was resumed, and, after some time,

On motion by Mr. Williams,

Ordered, That the debate be Adjourned.

The House then adjourned at 10.30 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Compendium re: Bill 154, An Act to amend The Regional Municipality of Hamilton-Wentworth Act, 1973 (*No. 200*).

Report of the Minister of Education, 1978-79 (*No. 201*).

Financial Statements of Ryerson Polytechnical Institute for year ended March 31, 1979 (*No. 202*).

Annual Report of the Board of Governors of The Ontario Institute for Studies in Education, 1978/79 (*No. 203*).

SEVENTY-NINTH DAY

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 24TH, 1979

The following Committees met:—

The Select Committee on Ontario Hydro Affairs.

The Standing Administration of Justice Committee.

The Standing General Government Committee.

The Standing Resources Development Committee.

The Standing Social Development Committee.

EIGHTIETH DAY

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 25TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. McCaffrey from the Standing General Government Committee reported the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That Supply in the following amount and to defray the expenses of the Office of the Ombudsman be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980:—

OFFICE OF THE OMBUDSMAN

Office of the Ombudsman \$ 4,172,000

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 157, An Act to revise The Cemeteries Act. *Mr. Drea*.

A Return was tabled to Questions Nos. 285 to 298 inclusive. (*Sessional Paper No. 208*).

The Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 282, 283, 284, 300, 301, 302, 303 and 320. (*See Hansard*).

The Interim Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 277 to 281 inclusive. (*See Hansard*).

Mr. Reid (Rainy River) moved, seconded by Mr. Nixon,

That an Order of the House do issue for the production of all Public Opinion Polls commissioned by the Ontario Government from April 1, 1974 to April 1, 1979, and a debate arising, at 4.32 p.m. further proceedings on the motion were reserved until 5.50 p.m. and:—

Mr. Germa then moved Second Reading of Bill 125, An Act to amend The Ontario Water Resources Act and a debate arising, after some time:—

Pursuant to Standing Order 64(e) the following members signified their objection to the question being put on Mr. Reid's (Rainy River) resolution (No. 22):

Ashe
Baetz
Bernier
Brunelle
Cureatz
Drea
Eaton
Gregory
Havrot

Hennessy
Hodgson
Johnson
(Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)
Kennedy
Leluk
Maeck
McCague
Newman
(Durham York)

Norton
Ramsay
Rotenberg
Rowe
Scrivener
Villeneuve
Wells
Williams—25.

and accordingly the Question was not put.

Pursuant to Standing Order 64(e) the following members signified their objection to the question being put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 125, An Act to amend the Ontario Water Resources Act.

Ashe	Hennessy	Norton
Baetz	Hodgson	Ramsay
Bernier	Johnson	Rotenberg
Brunelle	(Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)	Rowe
Cureatz	Kennedy	Scrivener
Drea	Leluk	Villeneuve
Eaton	Maeck	Wells
Gregory	McCague	Williams—25.
Havrot	Newman	
	(Durham York)	

and accordingly the Question was not put.

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Debate on the motion for adoption of the Report of the Standing Social Development Committee dated June 21st, 1979 (*Sessional Paper No. 128*) was resumed and a debate arising after some time, the motion for adoption of the report having been put was carried on the following division:—

AYES

Blundy	Eakins	Miller
Bolan	Foulds	(Haldimand-Norfolk)
Bounsall	Gaunt	Nixon
Bradley	Germa	Peterson
Breaugh	Gigantes	Philip
Breithaupt	Grande	Reed
Bryden	Haggerty	(Halton-Burlington)
Campbell	Hall	Renwick
Cassidy	Isaacs	Riddell
Charlton	Johnston	Roy
Conway	(Scarborough West)	Ruston
Cooke	Kerrio	Samis
Cunningham	Laughren	Swart
Davidson	Lupusella	Van Horne
(Cambridge)	MacDonald	Warner
Davison	Mackenzie	Wildman
(Hamilton Centre)	Makarchuk	Young
Di Santo	Mancini	Ziamba—51.
Dukszta	McClellan	

NAYS

Auld
Ashe
Baetz
Bennett
Bernier
Brunelle
Cureatz
Drea
Eaton
Elgie
Gregory
Havrot

Hennessy
Hodgson
Johnson
(Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)
Jones
Kennedy
Kerr
Maeck
McCaffrey
McCague
Newman
(Durham York)

Norton
Ramsay
Rotenberg
Rowe
Scrivener
Snow
Stephenson
Timbrell
Villeneuve
Welch
Wells
Williams
Yakabuski—35.

and the Report was accordingly adopted.

The House then adjourned at 10.35 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Compendium and Consolidation re Bill 148, An Act to revise The Certificate of Titles Act. (No. 204).

Compendium and Consolidation re Bill 149, An Act to amend The Land Titles Act. (No. 205)

Compendium and Consolidation re Bill 150, An Act to amend The Registry Act. (No. 206).

Compendium and Consolidation re Bill 156, An Act to amend The Securities Act. (No. 207).

Fourth Annual Report of the Ontario Advisory Council on the Physically Handicapped, September 1979. (No. 209).

EIGHTY-FIRST DAY

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26TH, 1979

PRAYERS

10.00 O'CLOCK A.M.

The Interim Answer was tabled to Question No. 309 (*See Hansard*).

The Answer was tabled to Question No. 312 (*See Hansard*).

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee)

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980, the following sums:—

MINISTRY OF INTERGOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

603. To defray the expenses of the Local Government Affairs
Program\$ 545,678,000

MANAGEMENT BOARD

401. To defray the expenses of the Ministry Administration Pro-
gram 90,690,500

and after some time,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had come to certain Resolutions also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

With unanimous consent, the House reverted to motions, and it was,

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That next Thursday night, in considering the two orders of business as announced yesterday, the time between 8.00 p.m. and 10.15 p.m. be divided equally between the two orders, and that the question on the first of these orders, with respect to the Lakeshore Report, be put at 10.15 p.m.

The House then adjourned at 1.05 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Annual Report of the Clarke Institute of Psychiatry for 1978-79 (*No. 210*).

Electric Vehicles and Ontario's Energy Future, A Statement by the Minister of Energy to Canada's Second Annual Seminar on Electric Vehicles, October 26, 1979 (*No. 211*).

EIGHTY-SECOND DAY

MONDAY, OCTOBER 29TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Philip from the Standing Administration of Justice Committee presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill Pr17, An Act to revive the Dinorwic Metis Corporation.

Bill Pr26, An Act to revive Smith Brothers Jewellers, Limited.

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill with certain amendments:—

Bill Pr7, An Act respecting the County of Northumberland.

The following Bills were introduced, read the first time and referred to the Standing General Government Committee:—

Bill Pr18, An Act respecting the City of Sarnia. *Mr. Blundy.*

Bill Pr21, An Act respecting the City of Hamilton. *Mr. Mackenzie.*

Bill Pr22, An Act respecting the County of Simcoe. *Mr. Taylor* (Simcoe Centre).

The Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 299 and 307. (*See Hansard*).

The Interim Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 313 and 318. (*See Hansard*).

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(*In the Committee*)

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980, the following sums:—

MANAGEMENT BOARD

402. To defray the expenses of the Policy Development and Analysis Program	\$ 5,815,000
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403.	To defray the expenses of the Management Audit Program . .	\$ 750,000
404.	To defray the expenses of the Employee Relations Program .	851,000
405.	To defray the expenses of the Government Personnel Services Program	640,000

and after some time,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had come to certain Resolutions also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

Supply was concurred in as follows:—

Supply for the Ministry of Correctional Services.

Supply for the Office of the Assembly.

Supply for the Office of the Ombudsman.

The House then adjourned at 6.00 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Compendium and consolidation re: Bill 157, An Act to revise The Cemeteries Act. (No. 212).

Response to question in the House on October 16th by the Member for Ottawa East (Mr. Roy) concerning the interpretation being given by the courts to section 4 (4) and 18 (4) of The Family Law Reform Act. (No. 213).

EIGHTY-THIRD DAY

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 30TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 158, An Act to amend The Regional Municipality of Peel Act, 1973. Mr. Wells.

Mr. Miller (Muskoka) moved, seconded by Mr. Wells,

"That the authority of the Treasurer of Ontario granted on March 29th, 1979, to pay the salaries of the civil servants and other necessary payments pending the voting of Supply for the period commencing April 1st, 1979, be extended to March 31st, 1980, such payments to be charged to the proper appropriation following the voting of Supply".

And a debate having arisen.

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The debate continued, and after some time,

Mr. Miller (Muskoka) moved, seconded by Mr. Wells,

That the words "be extended to March 31st, 1980" be deleted and the following be substituted therefor "be extended to December 31st, 1979".

The motion, as amended, was then declared carried, and it was,

Resolved, "That the authority of the Treasurer of Ontario granted on March 29th, 1979, to pay the salaries of the civil servants and other necessary payments pending the voting of Supply for the period commencing April 1st, 1979, *be extended to December 31st, 1979*, such payments to be charged to the proper appropriation following the voting of Supply".

The debate on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 122, An Act to provide for the Establishment of Local Services Boards was again adjourned.

Two matters were debated on the motion to adjourn and the House then adjourned at 10.55 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

The University of Western Ontario, Financial statements for the year ended April 30, 1979 (No. 214).

The Ontario College of Art, Financial statements for the year ended May 31, 1979 (No. 215).

The University of Waterloo, Financial statements for the year ended April 30, 1979 (No. 216).

McMaster University, Financial statements for the year ended April 30, 1979 (No. 217).

The University of Toronto, Financial statements for the year ended April 30, 1979 (No. 218).

Wilfrid Laurier University, Financial statements for the year ended April 30, 1979 (No. 219).

Compendium re Bill 158, An Act to amend The Regional Municipality of Peel Act, 1973 (No. 220).

EIGHTY-FOURTH DAY

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 31ST, 1979

The following Committees met:—

The Standing Administration of Justice Committee.

The Standing General Government Committee.

The Standing Resources Development Committee.

The Standing Social Development Committee.

EIGHTY-FIFTH DAY

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 1ST, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

News of the untimely death of Dalton A. Bales, Q.C., former member for York Mills was communicated to the House by the Honourable William G. Davis, Premier of the Province, who paid tribute to Mr. Bales in which he was joined by Robert Nixon on behalf of the Liberal Party and by Michael Cassidy, Leader of the New Democratic Party.

Mr. Villeneuve from the Standing Resources Development Committee reported the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That Supply in the following amounts and to defray the expenses of the Ministry of the Environment be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980:—

MINISTRY OF THE ENVIRONMENT:

Ministry Administration Program	\$ 6,815,200
Environmental Assessment and Planning Program	18,978,000
Environmental Control Program	243,600,000
Waste Management Program	13,896,000

Mr. McCaffrey from the Standing General Government Committee presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill without amendment:—

Bill Pr10, An Act respecting the City of Hamilton.

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill with certain amendments:—

Bill Pr8, An Act respecting the City of Hamilton.

Mr. McCaffrey from the Standing General Government Committee reported the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That Supply in the following amount and to defray the expenses of the Office of the Provincial Auditor be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980:—

OFFICE OF THE PROVINCIAL AUDITOR:

Administration of the Audit Act and Statutory Audits	\$ 2,360,000
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Mr. Philip from the Standing Administration of Justice Committee reported the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That Supply in the following amounts and to defray the expenses of the Ministry of Consumer and Commercial Relations be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980:—

MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AND COMMERCIAL RELATIONS:

Ministry Administration Program	\$ 4,972,000
Commercial Standards Program	11,700,000
Technical Standards Program	6,748,000
Public Entertainment Standards Program	8,703,000
Property Rights Program	19,855,000
Registrar General Program	3,270,000
Liquor Licence Program	6,838,000
Rent Review Program	1,821,000

Mrs. Campbell from the Standing Members' Services Committee presented the Committee's Report and moved its adoption. The Committee's Report was read as follows:

Your Committee having met to review the provision of messenger services to Members of the Legislative Assembly recommends that the services of the sessional attendants available to each party caucus be maintained throughout the year.

On motion by Mrs. Campbell,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 159, An Act to amend The Family Law Reform Act, 1978. *Mr. Breithaupt.*

The following Bill was introduced, read the first time and referred to the Standing General Government Committee:—

Bill Pr27, An Act respecting the City of Windsor. *Mr. Newman* (Windsor-Walkerville).

The following Bills were introduced, read the first time and referred to the Standing Administration of Justice Committee:—

Bill Pr23, An Act to revive Honing Corporation Limited. *Mr. Cunningham.*

Bill Pr24, An Act respecting Co-operators Life Insurance Association. *Mr. Lane.*

Bill Pr29, An Act respecting the Assumption Church Cemetery. *Mr. Bounsall.*

A Return was tabled to Question No. 314 (*Sessional Paper No. 221*).

The Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 304, 305, 306, 310, 315, 317, 319, 322 and 323 (*See Hansard*).

The Interim Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 308, 311, 316 and 321 (*See Hansard*).

Mr. Jones moved, seconded by Mr. Kennedy.

That in the opinion of this House the Government consider adopting a procedure of payment to suppliers to the Government of goods and services of a value of \$100 or less whereby the Government enclose an executed blank cheque with the purchase order to the supplier,

And a debate arising, at 4.48 p.m. further proceedings on the motion were reserved until 5.50 p.m.

Mr. Van Horne then moved Second Reading of Bill 145, An Act to provide for Fiscal Planning in the Government of Ontario and a debate arising, after some time:—

Pursuant to Standing Order 64(e) no objection having been made to the putting of the question on Mr. Jones' Resolution (*No. 32*) the question having been put was lost on the following division:—

AYES

Auld
Ashe
Baetz
Belanger
Bernier
Brunelle
Cureatz
Eakins
Gregory
Hennessy
Hodgson
Johnson
(Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)
Jones
Kennedy

Kerr
Lane
Leluk
Maeck
McCaffrey
McGuigan
McMurtry
McNeil
Newman
(Durham York)
Norton
Parrott
Ramsay
Rollins
Rowe

Smith
(Simcoe East)
Taylor
(Prince Edward-Lennox)
Taylor
(Simcoe Centre)
Villeneuve
Walker
Watson
Welch
Wells
Williams
Wiseman—38

NAYS

Blundy
Bounsall
Bradley
Breithaupt
Bryden
Campbell
Charlton
Conway
Cooke
Cunningham
Davison
(Hamilton Centre)
Di Santo
Edighoffer
Epp
Foulds

Germa
Gigantes
Hall
Isaacs
Johnston
(Scarborough West)
Kerrio
Laughren
Lawlor
Mackenzie
Martel
McEwen
McKessock
Miller
(Haldimand-Norfolk)

Newman
(Windsor-Walkerville)
Nixon
O'Neil
Peterson
Philip
Renwick
Ruston
Smith
(Hamilton West)
Sweeney
Van Horne
Warner
Wildman
Worton
Young
Ziemba—43

Pursuant to Standing Order 64(e) the following members signified their objection to the question being put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 145, An Act to provide for Fiscal Planning in the Government of Ontario.

Auld
Ashe
Baetz
Belanger
Bernier
Brunelle
Gregory
Hennessey
Hodgson
Johnson
(Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)

Kennedy
Lane
Maeck
McMurtry
McNeil
Newman
(Durham York)
Norton
Parrott
Ramsay

Rollins
Rowe
Taylor
(Simcoe Centre)
Villeneuve
Watson
Welch
Wells
Williams
Wiseman—28

and accordingly the question was not put.

With unanimous consent, the House reverted to motions; and it was,

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That on Thursday, November 8 the Standing Administration of Justice Committee be authorized to meet in the evening instead of the afternoon and the Standing Resources Development Committee be authorized to meet in the afternoon instead of the evening.

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That the Standing Resources Development Committee be authorized to meet the evening of Monday, November 5th,

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The Order of the Day for Resuming the Adjourned Debate on the motion for Adoption of the Report of the Standing Social Development Committee dated June 19th 1979, re: Lakeshore Psychiatric Hospital having been read, and a debate arising at 9.10 p.m. further proceedings on the motion were reserved until 10.15 p.m.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the motion for adoption of the recommendations contained in the Seventh Report of the Select Committee on the Ombudsman having been read and a debate arising after some time,

On motion by Mrs. Campbell,

Ordered, that the debate be adjourned.

The motion for adoption of the Report of the Standing Social Development Committee dated June 19th 1979, having been put was carried on the following division:—

AYES

Ashe
Baetz
Belanger
Blundy
Bradley
Brunelle
Campbell
Conway
Cureatz
Eakins
Elgie
Epp
Gregory
Grossman
Haggerty
Hall
Havrot
Hennessy
Hodgson

Johnson
(Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)
Jones
Kerr
Kerrio
Leluk
Maeck
Mancini
McCaffrey
McKessock
McNeil
Miller
(Haldimand-Norfolk)
Newman
(Durham-York)
Newman
(Windsor-Walkerville)
Nixon
Norton

Parrott
Peterson
Ramsay
Rowe
Ruston
Smith
(Simcoe East)
Snow
Taylor
(Prince Edward-Lennox)
Taylor
(Simcoe Centre)
Timbrell
Van Horne
Villeneuve
Walker
Watson
Wells
Wiseman
Worton
Yakabuski—52

NAYS

Bounsall	Gigantes	Mackenzie
Breaugh	Grande	Martel
Bryden	Isaacs	McClellan
Charlton	Johnston	Philip
Davidson	(Scarborough West)	Renwick
(Cambridge)	Laughren	Swart
Davison	Lawlor	Warner
(Hamilton Centre)	Lupusella	Wildman
Foulds	MacDonald	Young
		Ziemba—25

The House then adjourned at 10.30 p.m.

EIGHTY-SIXTH DAY

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 2ND, 1979

PRAYERS

10.00 O'CLOCK A.M.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 160, an Act to provide for Compulsory Automobile Insurance. *Mr. Drea.*

The Answer was tabled to Question No. 313 (*See Hansard*).

The Interim Answers were tabled to Questions 324, 325 and 328 (*See Hansard*).

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(*In the Committee*)

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980, the following sum:—

OFFICE OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

101. To defray the expenses of the Office of the Lieutenant Governor Program	\$ 127,000
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and after some time,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had come to a certain Resolution also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The House then adjourned at 1.00 p.m.

Sessional Paper:—

Compendium and consolidations re Bill 160, An Act to provide for Compulsory Automobile Insurance (No. 222).

EIGHTY-SEVENTH DAY

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 5TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Villeneuve from the Standing Resources Development Committee presented the Committee's Report and moved its adoption. The Committee's Report was read as follows:

The Standing Committee on Resources Development believes that officials of Ontario Hydro, in their testimony of July 4, 1979 should have provided more detailed answers to the Committee in reply to questions regarding difficulties encountered with the boilers supplied by Babcock & Wilcox (Canada) Ltd. for the Bruce "A" Generating Plant.

On motion by Mr. Villeneuve,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That the Standing Administration of Justice Committee be authorized to travel to Park Public School in the City of Toronto on Wednesday, November 7, 1979, and that the provisions of section 66 of The Legislative Assembly Act be not applicable.

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That when the House adjourns on Friday, November 9th, it stand adjourned until Tuesday, November 13th.

The Answers were tabled to Questions 311 and 326 (*See Hansard*).

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

(*In the Committee*)

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980, the following sum:—

OFFICE OF THE PREMIER

201. To defray the expenses of the Office of the Premier Program \$ 1,639,400

CABINET OFFICE

301. To defray the expenses of the Cabinet Office Program \$ 1,255,000

and after some time,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had come to certain Resolutions also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The House then adjourned at 9.45 p.m.

EIGHTY-EIGHTH DAY

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 6TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That Bill Pr22, An Act respecting the County of Simcoe, be withdrawn from the Standing General Government Committee and be referred to the Standing Administration of Justice Committee, and further that the provisions of Standing Order 72 (a) respecting notice be waived.

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That the following substitutions be made: on the Standing Public Accounts Committee,

Mr. Isaacs for Mr. Mackenzie,

Mr. MacBeth for Mr. Pope.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—Bill 161, An Act to amend The Public Commercial Vehicles Act. *Mr. Snow.*Bill 162, An Act to amend The Child Welfare Act, 1978. *Mr. Norton.*Bill 164, An Act to amend The Assessment Act. *Mr. Maeck.*Bill 165, An Act to amend The Corporations Tax Act, 1972. *Mr. Maeck.*

Bill 166, An Act to provide for the Registration of Non-resident Ownership of Agricultural Land in Ontario. *Mr. Eaton.*

The following Bill was introduced, read the first time and referred to the Standing Administration of Justice Committee:—Bill Pr30, An Act to revive South Russell Holdings Limited. *Mr. Rotenberg.*

The following Bill was read the second time:—

Bill 77, An Act to amend The Crown Timber Act. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain Bill and, after some time therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report progress on the following Bill:

Bill 77, An Act to amend The Crown Timber Act.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

The House then adjourned at 6.00 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Compendium and consolidation re: Bill 164, An Act to amend The Assessment Act (No. 223).

Compendium re: Bill 165, An Act to amend The Corporations Tax Act, 1972 (No. 224).

Memorandum of agreement between the Minister of Housing and the Ontario Housing Corporation (No. 225).

Compendium re: Bill 162, An Act to amend The Child Welfare Act (No. 226).

Compendium re: Bill 161, An Act to amend The Public Commercial Vehicles Act (No. 227).

Ontario Status of Women Council 5th Annual Report 1978-79 (No. 228).

EIGHTY-NINTH DAY

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 7TH, 1979

The following Committees met:—

The Standing Administration of Justice Committee.

The Standing General Government Committee.

The Standing Resources Development Committee.

The Standing Social Development Committee.

NINETIETH DAY

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 8TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Williams from the Standing Statutory Instruments Committee presented the Committee's second report and moved its adoption (*Sessional Paper No. 229*).

On motion by Mr. Williams,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

Mr. McCaffrey from the Standing General Government Committee presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill with a certain amendment:—

Bill Pr19, An Act respecting the City of Cornwall.

Mr. Gaunt from the Standing Social Development Committee reported the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That Supply in the following amounts and to defray the expenses of the Ministry of Community and Social Services be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980:—

MINISTRY OF COMMUNITY AND SOCIAL SERVICES:

Ministry Administration Program	\$ 19,391,300
Adult Services	971,610,000
Children's Services Program	327,078,000

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That on Thursday, November 15, the Standing Administration of Justice Committee be authorized to meet in the evening instead of the afternoon and that the Standing Resources Development Committee be authorized to meet in the afternoon instead of the evening.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 167, An Act to declare Remembrance Day as a Holiday for Veterans. *Mr. Sterling*.

Bill 168, An Act to amend The Health Insurance Act, 1972. *Mr. Lawlor.*

Bill 169, An Act to amend The Health Insurance Act, 1972. *Mr. Breagh.*

The Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 321, 324 and 329. (*See Hansard*).

The Interim Answer was tabled to Question No. 327. (*See Hansard*).

Mr. McClellan moved Second Reading of Bill 102, An Act to declare the Rights of Children in Ontario and a debate arising at 4.35 p.m. further proceedings on the motion were reserved until 5.50 p.m. and:—

Mr. Cureatz then moved, seconded by Mr. Sterling.

That, in the opinion of this House, the Government of Ontario should request the Atomic Energy Control Board to commission a study to analyze the likelihood and consequences of a catastrophic accident, such as a nuclear meltdown in a nuclear reactor, or radiation escape, but if, within six months of the date of the request, the Atomic Energy Control Board has not commissioned such a study, the Government of Ontario should undertake the study on its own initiative, and a debate arising, after some time;

Mr. Ashe moved, seconded by Mr. Rowe, that the resolution be amended by deleting all the words after “escape” in the fifth line and substituting the words therefore:—

“Although recognizing the legal responsibilities of the federal authorities in this matter, the Government of Ontario should consider the undertaking of such a study if the federal authorities do not commission such a study within a reasonable period of time”,

the debate continued, and after some time;

Pursuant to Standing Order 64(e) the following members signified their objection to the question being put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 102, An Act to declare the Right of Children in Ontario.

Ashe
Belanger
Birch
Brunelle
Gregory
Henderson
Hennessy
Hodgson

Johnson
(Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)
Leluk
Maeck
McCague
McNeil
Norton
Ramsay

Rotenberg
Rowe
Sterling
Taylor
(Simcoe Centre)
Walker
Watson
Wells—22.

and accordingly the question was not put.

Pursuant to Standing Order 64(e) no objection having been made to the putting of the question on Mr. Cureatz's Resolution (*No. 34*) and amendment thereto.

Mr. Speaker put the question:—

Shall the amendment to Mr. Cureatz's Resolution carry, which motion was decided in the negative.

Mr. Speaker then put the question:—

Shall Mr. Cureatz's Resolution carry, which motion was decided in the affirmative, and it was,

Resolved, That, in the opinion of this House, the Government of Ontario should request the Atomic Energy Control Board to commission a study to analyze the likelihood and consequences of a catastrophic accident, such as a nuclear meltdown in a nuclear reactor, or radiation escape, but if, within six months of the date of the request, the Atomic Energy Control Board has not commissioned such a study, the Government of Ontario should undertake the study on its own initiative.

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The Order of the Day for Resuming the Adjourned Debate on the motion for Adoption of the Report of the Standing Resources Development Committee on the Pickering "B" Generating Station Steam Generators Supplied to Ontario Hydro by Babcock & Wilcox (Canada) Ltd. and Addendum thereto having been read and a debate arising after some time.

Mr. Bradley moved, seconded by Mr. Kerrio,

That the following words be added to the Motion to adopt the Reports of the Standing Committee on Resources Development:

"and further, the Legislative Assembly recommends, in the light of Babcock and Wilcox (Canada) Ltd.'s poor performance in respect of the boilers supplied to the Pickering B and Bruce A Generating Stations, that Hydro's contract with Babcock and Wilcox for the supply of boilers to the Darlington Generating Station be reopened, with a view to implementing forthwith recommendation (b) of the Committee's first Report, namely that Hydro should never again expose itself and the public of Ontario to the substantial risks and potentially harmful repercussions flowing from an unhealthy and unwise dependence upon one supplier."

The debate continued and after some time,

Mr. Ashe moved, seconded by Mr. Yakabuski,

That the Amendment to the motion for the adoption of the report be amended by striking out all the words after "that" and substituting the following words therefore:

"That the report be adopted with the exception of recommendation (c) on page 30 which shall be struck out and the following substituted therefore: 'senior management of Ontario Hydro should fully inform the Minister of Energy of all of the particulars relating to the procurement of major equipment following the awarding of the contracts'."

The debate continued and after some time,

Mr. Speaker put the question:—

Shall the amendment to the amendment carry which question was lost on the following division:

AYES

Auld	Hodgson	Rotenberg
Ashe	Johnson	Rowe
Belanger	(Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)	Scrivener
Bennett	Jones	Smith
Bernier	Kennedy	(Simcoe East)
Birch	Kerr	Snow
Brunelle	Lane	Stephenson
Cureatz	Maeck	Sterling
Davis	McCaffrey	Taylor
Drea	McCague	(Simcoe Centre)
Eaton	McNeil	Timbrell
Elgie	Miller	Villeneuve
Gregory	(Muskoka)	Walker
Grossman	Norton	Watson
Havrot	Pope	Welch
Henderson	Ramsay	Wells
Hennessy	Rollins	Wiseman
		Yakabuski—48.

NAYS

Blundy	Hall	O'Neil
Bolan	Isaacs	Philip
Bounsall	Johnston	Reed
Bradley	(Scarborough West)	(Halton-Burlington)
Breaugh	Kerrio	Reid
Bryden	Lupusella	(Rainy River)
Charlton	MacDonald	Renwick
Conway	Mackenzie	Riddell
Cunningham	Makarchuk	Ruston
Davidson	Mancini	Sargent
(Cambridge)	McClellan	Smith
Davison	McGuigan	(Hamilton West)
(Hamilton Centre)	McKessock	Stong
Di Santo	Miller	Swart
Eakins	(Haldimand-Norfolk)	Sweeney
Epp	Newman	Van Horne
Gaunt	(Windsor-Walkerville)	Warner
Gigantes	Nixon	Wildman
Grande		Worton
Haggerty		Ziamba—50.

PAIR: MacBeth and Edighoffer

Mr. Speaker then put the question:—

Shall the amendment to the motion carry which question was lost on the following division:—

AYES

Blundy
Bolan
Bradley
Conway
Cunningham
Eakins
Epp
Gaunt
Haggerty
Hall
Kerrio

Mancini
McGuigan
McKessock
Miller
(Haldimand-Norfolk)
Newman
(Windsor-Walkerville)
Nixon
O'Neil
Reed
(Halton-Burlington)

Reid
(Rainy River)
Riddell
Ruston
Sargent
Smith
(Hamilton West)
Stong
Sweeney
Van Horne
Worton—28.

NAYS

Ashe
Auld
Belanger
Bennett
Bernier
Birch
Bounsall
Breagh
Brunelle
Bryden
Charlton
Cureatz
Davis
Davidson
(Cambridge)
Davison
(Hamilton Centre)
Di Santo
Drea
Eaton
Elgie
Gigantes
Grande
Gregory
Grossman
Havrot

Henderson
Hennessy
Hodgson
Isaacs
Johnson
(Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)
Johnston
(Scarborough West)
Jones
Kennedy
Kerr
Lane
Lupusella
MacDonald
Mackenzie
Maeck
Makarchuk
McCaffrey
McCague
McClellan
McNeil
Miller
(Muskoka)
Norton
Philip

Pope
Ramsay
Renwick
Rollins
Rotenberg
Rowe
Scrivener
Smith
(Simcoe East)
Snow
Stephenson
Sterling
Swart
Taylor
(Simcoe Centre)
Timbrell
Villeneuve
Walker
Warner
Watson
Welch
Wells
Wildman
Wiseman
Yakabuski
Ziamba—70.

PAIR: MacBeth and Edighoffer

The motion for adoption of the Report having then been put was declared carried.

The House then adjourned at 10.40 p.m.

NINETY-FIRST DAY

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 9TH, 1979

PRAYERS

10.00 O'CLOCK A.M.

Mr. Philip from the Standing Administration of Justice Committee presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill Pr22, An Act respecting the County of Simcoe.

Bill Pr23, An Act to revive Honing Corporation Limited.

Bill Pr24, An Act respecting Co-operators Life Insurance Association.

Bill Pr29, An Act respecting the Assumption Church Cemetery.

Your Committee recommends that the fees, less the actual cost of printing, be remitted on Bill Pr29, An Act respecting the Assumption Church Cemetery.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 170, An Act to amend The Education Act, 1974. *Miss Stephenson.*

Bill 171, An Act to amend The Ontario Municipal Improvement Corporation Act. *Mr. Miller (Muskoka).*

Bill 172, An Act to amend The Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto Act. *Mr. Wells.*

Bill 173, An Act to amend The Municipal Act. *Mr. Wells.*

Bill 174, An Act respecting the Composition of the Council of the Town of Midland. *Mr. Wells.*

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply, to consider the Estimates of the Ministry of Revenue,

and after some time,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported progress, also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The House then adjourned at 1.00 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Compendium and consolidation re: Bill 170, An Act to amend The Education Act, 1974 (*No. 230*).

Material tabled by the Attorney General and Solicitor General re: High Speed Pursuit (*No. 231*).

Compendium re: Bill 174, An Act respecting the Composition of the Council of the Town of Midland (*No. 232*).

Compendium and copies of Bills 103 and 115 (1979) re: Bill 173, An Act to amend The Municipal Act (*No. 233*).

Compendium and copy of Bill 104 (1979) re: Bill 172, An Act to amend The Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto Act (*No. 234*).

Ministry of Labour Annual Report 1978-1979 (*No. 235*).

Consolidation re: Bill 171, An Act to amend The Ontario Municipal Improvement Corporation Act (*No. 236*).

NINETY-SECOND DAY

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 13TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

In accordance with Standing Order No. 33(b), Mr. Foulds tabled a petition requesting the referral of the Annual Report of the Minister of Natural Resources for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1979, tabled October 11th, 1979, to the Standing Resources Development Committee (*Sessional Paper No. 237*).

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That the Select Committee on Ontario Hydro Affairs be authorized to meet Thursday, November 15th.

The Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 327, 330, 331, 332, 334, 340 and 341. (See *Hansard*).

A Return was tabled to Question No. 316 (*Sessional Paper No. 238*).

A Return was tabled to Question No. 335 (*Sessional Paper No. 239*).

A Return was tabled to Question No. 338 (*Sessional Paper No. 240*).

The following Bills were read the second time and *Ordered for Third Reading*:—

Bill Pr7, An Act respecting the County of Northumberland.

Bill Pr8, An Act respecting the City of Hamilton.

Bill Pr10, An Act respecting the City of Hamilton.

Bill Pr17, An Act to revive The Dinorwic Metis Corporation.

Bill Pr19, An Act respecting the City of Cornwall.

Bill Pr22, An Act respecting the County of Simcoe.

Bill Pr23, An Act to revive Honing Corporation Limited.

Bill Pr24, An Act respecting Co-operators Life Insurance Association.

Bill Pr26, An Act to revive Smith Brothers Jewellers, Limited.

Bill Pr29, An Act respecting the Assumption Church Cemetery.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill Pr7, An Act respecting the County of Northumberland.

Bill Pr8, An Act respecting the City of Hamilton.

Bill Pr10, An Act respecting the City of Hamilton.

Bill Pr17, An Act to revive The Dinorwic Metis Corporation.

Bill Pr19, An Act respecting the City of Cornwall.

Bill Pr22, An Act respecting the County of Simcoe.

Bill Pr23, An Act to revive Honing Corporation Limited.

Bill Pr24, An Act respecting Co-operators Life Insurance Association.

Bill Pr26, An Act to revive Smith Brothers Jewellers, Limited.

Bill Pr29, An Act respecting the Assumption Church Cemetery.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain Bill and, after some time therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report progress on Bill 77, An Act to amend The Crown Timber Act:—

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

The Honourable the Lieutenant Governor of the Province entered the Chamber of the Legislative Assembly and took her seat upon the Throne.

Mr. Speaker addressed Her Honour in the following words:—

“May it please Your Honour:

The Legislative Assembly of the Province has at its present Sittings thereof passed certain Bills to which, in the name and on behalf of the said Legislative Assembly, I respectfully request Your Honour’s Assent.”

The Clerk Assistant then read the titles of the Bills that had passed as follows:—

“The following are the titles of the Bills to which Your Honour’s Assent is prayed:

Bill 86, An Act to amend The Pesticides Act, 1973.

Bill 144, An Act to amend The Corporations Act.

Bill 152, An Act to amend certain Acts respecting Regional Municipalities.

Bill Pr7, An Act respecting the County of Northumberland.

Bill Pr8, An Act respecting the City of Hamilton.

Bill Pr10, An Act respecting the City of Hamilton.

Bill Pr17, An Act to revive The Dinorwic Metis Corporation.

Bill Pr19, An Act respecting the City of Cornwall.

Bill Pr22, An Act respecting the County of Simcoe.

Bill Pr23, An Act to revive Honing Corporation Limited.

Bill Pr24, An Act respecting Co-operators Life Insurance Association.

Bill Pr26, An Act to revive Smith Brothers Jewellers, Limited.

Bill Pr29, An Act respecting the Assumption Church Cemetery."

To these Acts the Royal Assent was announced by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly in the following words:

"In Her Majesty's name, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor doth assent to these Bills."

Her Honour was then pleased to retire.

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Speaker addressed the House as follows:—

I beg to inform the House that the Petition presented under Standing Order 33(b) is in order and the annual report of the Minister of Natural Resources for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1979, tabled on October 11, 1979, therefore stands referred to the Standing Resources Development Committee.

Debate on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 122, An Act to provide for the Establishment of Local Service Boards was resumed and after some time the motion having been put was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House*.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain Bill and, after some time therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report progress on Bill 122, An Act to provide for the Establishment of Local Services Boards.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

On motion by Mr. Wells, seconded by Mr. Gregory,

Resolved, That, the order for adoption of the Final Report of the Standing Resources Development Committee on Acidic Precipitation, Abatement of Emissions from the International Nickel Company operations at Sudbury, Pollution Control in the Pulp and Paper Industry and Pollution Abatement at the Reed Paper Mill in

Dryden be discharged and the following two orders substituted therefore: 1. Motion for adoption of Parts 1 and 2 of the Final Report of the Standing Resources Development Committee on Acidic Precipitation, Abatement of Emissions from the International Nickel Company operations at Sudbury, Pollution Control in the Pulp and Paper Industry and Pollution Abatement at the Reed Paper Mill in Dryden, and 2. Motion for adoption of Parts 3 and 4 of the Standing Resources Development Committee on Acidic Precipitation, Abatement of Emissions from the International Nickel Company operations at Sudbury, Pollution Control in the Pulp and Paper Industry and Pollution Abatement at the Reed Paper Mill in Dryden.

The House then adjourned at 10.35 p.m.

Sessional Paper:—

Report to the Minister of Health re Arsenic Situation in the Moira River System between Deloro and the Outlet of Moira Lake (*No. 241*).

NINETY-THIRD DAY

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 14TH, 1979

The following Committees met:—

The Standing Administration of Justice Committee.

The Standing General Government Committee.

The Standing Resources Development Committee.

The Standing Social Development Committee.

NINETY-FOURTH DAY

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 15TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. McCaffrey from the Standing General Government Committee reported the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That Supply in the following amounts and to defray the expenses of the Ministry of Housing be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980:—

MINISTRY OF HOUSING:

Ministry Administration Program	\$ 11,210,000
Community Planning Program	79,100,000
Land Development Program	6,722,000
Community Development Program	11,206,000
Ontario Land Corporation Program	21,796,000
Ontario Housing Corporation Program	129,852,000
Ontario Mortgage Corporation Program	8,438,000
Home Buyers Grant Program	10,000

Mr. Breagh from the Standing Procedural Affairs Committee presented the Committee's Report and moved its adoption. The Committee's Report was read as follows:

Your committee has considered the procedures relating to Private Members' Public Business, and recommends:

That Standing Order 64(e) be deleted.

On motion by Mr. Breagh,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

Mr. Breagh from the Standing Procedural Affairs Committee presented the Committee's Report and moved its adoption. The Committee's report was read as follows:

Your committee has considered the question of "debates without motion", referred to it by Mr. Speaker's ruling of October 16, 1979 and recommends:

That a new Standing Order be incorporated into the section entitled "Annual Reports and Other Sessional Papers", to read:

- (a) A motion that the House discuss a sessional paper other than a committee report requires notice. No amendment may be made to such a motion.
- (b) When a motion for discussion of a sessional paper is moved, one Member from each of the parties in the House may state the position of his party with respect to the motion for not more than five minutes.
- (c) If the motion passes, an Order shall be placed on the Order Paper for discussion of the sessional paper by the House.
- (d) During the discussion, no motion relating to the sessional paper may be moved.

On motion by Mr. Breagh,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That, notwithstanding the Standing Orders of the House, Mr. Cassidy be permitted to carry Mr. Lawlor's Ballot Item on November 29th, 1979.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 175, An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act. *Mr. Snow.*

Bill 176, An Act to amend The Architects Act. *Mr. McMurtry.*

Bill 177, An Act to amend The Compensation for Victims of Crime Act, 1971. *Mr. McMurtry.*

Bill 178, An Act to provide for the Enforcement of Interprovincial Subpoenas. *Mr. McMurtry.*

Bill 179, The Powers of Attorney Act, 1979. *Mr. McMurtry.*

Bill 180, An Act to amend The Unified Family Court Act, 1976. *Mr. McMurtry.*

Bill 181, An Act to provide for the Consolidation and Revision of the Statutes. *Mr. McMurtry.*

Bill 182, An Act to provide for the Consolidation and Revision of the Regulations. *Mr. McMurtry.*

Bill 183, An Act to amend The Assessment Act. *Mr. Leluk.*

The following Bill was introduced, read the first time and referred to the Commissioners of Estate Bills:—

Bill Pr25, An Act respecting the City of London. *Mr. Van Horne.*

The following Bill was introduced, read the first time and referred to the Standing General Government Committee:—

Bill Pr28, An Act respecting the City of North Bay. *Mr. Bolan.*

A Return was tabled to Question No. 344 (*Sessional Paper No. 242*).

The Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 325, 343 and 345. (*See Hansard*).

The Interim Answer was tabled to Question No. 333. (*See Hansard*).

Mr. Blundy moved, seconded by Mr. McKessock,

That in the opinion of this House the Government consider the licensing and regulation of Rest Homes (domiciliary care homes) in Ontario.

And a debate arising, at 4.38 p.m. further proceedings on the motion were reserved until 5.50 p.m.

Mr. Mackenzie then moved, seconded by Mr. Laughren,

That, in the opinion of this House, the Government of Ontario should take immediate action to provide for the full portability and protection of pension benefit credits and specifically, that the Government of Ontario should introduce legislation that would (a) reduce the vesting period for pension benefits to five years of service, (b) ensure full portability for terminated employees through the establishment of a Government administered Central Pension Agency to which all vested employer contributions and locked-in employee contributions could be transferred and which would maintain records, invest the funds and pay accrued benefits on retirement, and (c) establish a mandatory system of pension plan termination guarantees that would protect the pension benefit credits where private pension plans are terminated, in particular as a result of plant closure or relocation.

And a debate arising, after some time:—

Pursuant to Standing Order 64(e) no objection having been made to the putting of the question of Mr. Blundy's Resolution (*No. 35*) the question having been put was declared carried, and it was,

Resolved, That in the opinion of this House the Government consider the licensing and regulation of Rest Homes (domiciliary care homes) in Ontario.

Pursuant to Standing Order 64(e) no objection having been made to the putting of the question of Mr. Mackenzie's Resolution (*No. 36*) the question having been put was declared carried, and it was,

Resolved, That, in the opinion of this House, the Government of Ontario should take immediate action to provide for the full portability and protection of pension benefit credits and specifically, that the Government of Ontario should introduce legislation that would (a) reduce the vesting period for pension benefits to five years of service, (b) ensure full portability for terminated employees through the establishment of a Government administered Central Pension Agency to which all vested employer contributions and locked-in employee contributions could be transferred and which would maintain records, invest the funds and pay accrued benefits on retirement, and (c) establish a mandatory system of pension plan termination guarantees that would

protect the pension benefit credits where private pension plans are terminated, in particular as a result of plant closure or relocation.

Mr. Speaker addressed the House as follows:—

The Petition of the Ontario Federation of Students, tabled by the Member for Windsor-Riverside, calls for the expenditure of public funds and is therefore, by Standing Order 29, clause (f), out of order as a Petition to the Legislature. However, as the Petition Cards are actually addressed by the signors to the Minister of Colleges and Universities and not to the Legislature, they have been forwarded to her office.

The Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 339, 342 and 347 (*See Hansard*).

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8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The motion for Adoption of Parts 1 and 2 of the Final Report of the Standing Resources Development Committee on Acidic Precipitation, Abatement of Emissions from the International Nickel Company operations at Sudbury, Pollution Control in the Pulp and Paper Industry and Pollution Abatement at the Reed Paper Mill in Dryden, having been read, and a debate arising, after some time the motion having been put was declared carried, and Parts 1 and 2 of the Report were accordingly adopted.

The House then adjourned at 10.20 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Compendium re: Bill 175, An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act (*No. 243*).

Compendium re: Bill 180, An Act to amend The Unified Family Court Act, 1976 (*No. 244*).

NINETY-FIFTH DAY

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 16TH, 1979

PRAYERS

10.00 O'CLOCK A.M.

Mr. Villeneuve from the Standing Resources Development Committee reported the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That Supply in the following amounts and to defray the expenses of the Ministry of Natural Resources be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980:—

MINISTRY OF NATURAL RESOURCES:

Ministry Administration Program	\$ 24,932,300
Land Management Program	93,829,500
Outdoor Recreation Program	68,387,000
Resource Products Program	62,876,700
Resource Experience Program	11,388,800

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 184, An Act respecting the Ontario Drug Benefit Plan. *Mr. Breagh.*

The Interim Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 336, 337 and 355 (*See Hansard*).

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply, to consider the Estimates of the Ministry of Revenue,

and after some time,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported progress, also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The House then adjourned at 1.00 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Letter dated November 5th, 1979 from the Minister of Natural Resources to Chairman and President of Great Lakes Forest Products Ltd. re: Reed Limited (*No. 245*).

Thirteenth Annual Report of The Crop Insurance Commission of Ontario for the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1979 (*No. 246*).

Second Annual Report of The Farm Income Stabilization Commission of Ontario for the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1979 (*No. 247*).

NINETY-SIXTH DAY

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 19TH, 1979

PRAYERS

10.00 O'CLOCK A.M.

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That the Standing Administration of Justice Committee be authorized to meet the afternoon of Wednesday, November 21st.

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That the Select Committee on Ontario Hydro Affairs be authorized to meet Tuesday, November 20th, following Routine Proceedings and in the evening if required.

The Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 328 and 348 (*See Hansard*).

The Answer was tabled to Question No. 346 (*See Hansard and Return Sessional Paper No. 257*).

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(*In the Committee*)

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980, the following sums:—

MINISTRY OF REVENUE

801.	To defray the expenses of the Ministry Administration Program	\$ 5,971,300
802.	To defray the expenses of the Administration of Taxes Program	28,804,000
803.	To defray the expenses of the Guaranteed Income and Tax Credit Program	100,064,000

and after some time,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had come to certain Resolutions also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The House then adjourned at 6.00 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Commission on Freedom of Information and Individual Privacy—Freedom of Information and the Administrative Process—Research Publication 10 (*No. 248*).

Huron College Report and Financial Statements April 30th, 1979 (*No. 254*).

Ministry of Community and Social Services 48th Annual Report for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1979 (*No. 256*).

Compendium re: The Statutes Revision Act and The Regulation Revision Act (*No. 258*).

NINETY-SEVENTH DAY

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 20TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Petitions were presented as follows:—

Mr. Cassidy re: health care in Ontario (*Sessional Paper No. 261*).

Mr. Wildman re: health care in Northern Ontario (*Sessional Paper No. 262*).

Mr. Stong re: use of Wintario funds to support Hospitals and Medical Care (*Sessional Paper No. 263*).

Mr. Cooke re: health care in Windsor (*Sessional Paper No. 264*).

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 185, An Act respecting Environmental Rights in Ontario. *Mr. Smith* (Hamilton West).

Bill 186, An Act to amend The Labour Relations Act. *Mr. Van Horne*.

Bill 187, An Act to amend The Education Act, 1974. *Mr. Bounsall*.

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 160, An Act to provide for Compulsory Automobile Insurance,

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the debate continued, and after some time, the motion carried, and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House*.

Debate on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 156, An Act to amend The Securities Act, 1978, was adjourned.

One matter was debated on the motion to adjourn and the House then adjourned at 10.41 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Memorandum of Understanding between the Ministry of Education and the Education Relations Commission (*No. 259*).

Annual Report of the Ministry of Energy year ended March 31, 1979 (*No. 260*).

NINETY-EIGHTH DAY

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 21ST, 1979

The following Committees met:—

The Standing Administration of Justice Committee.

The Standing General Government Committee.

The Standing Resources Development Committee.

The Standing Social Development Committee.

NINETY-NINTH DAY

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 22ND, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Breaugh from the Standing Procedural Affairs Committee presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows:—

The Committee has considered two points of order raised in the House.

On October 11, 1979, the point at issue was the mechanism by which answers could be provided to written questions when the House is recessed. Standing Order 33 (d) permits the tabling of documents by Ministers simply by depositing them with the Clerk of the House on any day. The Committee therefore recommends that answers to written questions should be tabled with the Clerk as soon as they are ready, whether or not the House is in session.

The second point arose on November 9, 1979, and concerned Ministers answering questions which were asked at an earlier date. On occasion, answers to such questions are given when the Member who asked the original question is not in the House. The Committee believes that this problem can be resolved without recourse to a change in the Standing Orders. The Committee recommends that, except in unusual circumstances, Ministers should refrain from answering a previously asked question until the Member who asked it is present in the House.

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That the recommendations of the Seventh Report of the Select Committee on the Ombudsman be referred to the Committee of the Whole House for consideration.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 188, An Act to provide for Rights of Handicapped Persons. *Mr. Elgie.*

The Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 336 and 337 (*See Hansard*).

Mr. Ashe moved, seconded by Mr. McCaffrey,

That in the opinion of the House, the Government should urge the Federal Government of Canada to upgrade the Windsor-Quebec rail corridor to accommodate an electric, LRC (light, rapid, comfortable) train service.

And a debate arising, at 4.43 p.m. further proceedings on the motion were reserved until 5.50 p.m.

Mr. Breithaupt then moved second reading of Bill 159, An Act to amend The Family Law Reform Act, 1978, and a debate arising, after some time,

Pursuant to Standing Order 64 (e) no objection having been made to the putting of the question of Mr. Ashe's Resolution (*No. 37*) the question having been put was declared carried and it was,

Resolved, That in the opinion of the House, the Government should urge the Federal Government of Canada to upgrade the Windsor-Quebec rail corridor to accommodate an electric, LRC (light, rapid, comfortable) train service.

Pursuant to Standing Order 64 (e) no objection having been made to the putting of the question on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 159, An Act to amend The Family Law Reform Act, 1978, the question having been put was declared carried.

And the Bill was accordingly read the Second Time and *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

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8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider the recommendations contained in the Seventh Report of the Select Committee on the Ombudsman:—

After some time, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the following recommendation as amended:—

1. The Committee concurs in the recommendation that the Select Committee's order of reference be amended to include a provision whereby *with the agreement of the Legislature* it is permitted to sit concurrently with the Legislature to consider from

time to time, interim reports tabled by the Ombudsman in the Legislature. (*Page 23 of the Report*)

2. The Committee concurs in the recommendation that the last paragraph of the policy of benefit of the doubt of The Workmen's Compensation Board be deleted and the following substituted therefor:

"When applied to an injured employee, the effect is that the employee does not require a preponderance of evidence in support of his claim. Rather, where there is doubt on any issue, and the disputed possibilities are approximately equal in weight, then the issue will be resolved in favour of the employee. On the other hand, speculation will not suffice." (*Page 29 of the Report*)

3. The Committee concurs in the recommendation that the Ombudsman shall, no later than three months after the end of his reporting period, table his Annual or Semi-Annual Report, as the case may be, with the Speaker of the Legislative Assembly. (*Pages 31 and 32 of the Report*)

4. The Committee concurs in the recommendation that:—

(i) The Ombudsman and his staff shall not, except where permitted by The Ombudsman Act in carrying out functions thereunder, disclose to any third party any information received by him or his staff while carrying out any of the functions of the Ombudsman under The Ombudsman Act, and

(ii) A member of the Ombudsman's staff carrying out Ombudsman functions under The Ombudsman Act, shall not express to anyone, other than to the Ombudsman or to his authorized delegate, his or her opinion, recommendation or other similar comments respecting the decision, recommendation, act or omission purported to have been committed by or on behalf of the governmental organization in question or respecting anything else arising out of the investigation of the complaint by the Ombudsman and his staff. (*Page 32 of the Report*)

5. The Committee concurs in the recommendation that preliminary investigations by the Ombudsman's office shall be limited to cases wherein further information is required by the Ombudsman or any member of his staff either to confirm a complaint or wherein immediate assistance of a complainant is required and the circumstances of the complaint make the immediate implementation of the procedural requirements of The Ombudsman Act impossible. Once the substance of the complaint has been confirmed by the Ombudsman or his staff or where the immediate disposition of the complaint is neither possible nor advisable, the requirements of The Ombudsman Act must be followed. (*Pages 32 and 33 of the Report*)

6. The Committee concurs in the recommendation where at any time during the course of an investigation it appears to the Ombudsman that there may be sufficient grounds for formulating opinions under Sections 22 (1) and (2) of The Ombudsman Act or of making any recommendations pursuant to Section 22 (3) of The Ombudsman Act, which has the effect of altering, opposing or causing the original decision, recommendation, act or omission to be changed in any way, the Ombudsman shall give the governmental organization and any person who is identified or is capable of being identified as having made or committed or caused to be made or committed, as the case may be, the decision, recommendation, act or omission, an opportunity to make representations respecting the adverse report or recommendations either personally or by counsel. (*Pages 34 and 35 of the Report*)

7. The Committee concurs in the recommendation that all reports of the Ombudsman made to governmental organizations in accordance with Section 22 of The Ombudsman Act shall contain opinions in the wording of Section 22 (1) and recommendations within the wording of Section 22 (3). (*Page 35 of the Report*)

8. The Committee concurs in the recommendation that in all cases where the Ombudsman has concluded that a response by a governmental organization to a report made by him pursuant to Section 22 (3) of the Act is neither adequate nor appropriate, and where he wishes ultimately, if the matter cannot be resolved, to seek support for his recommendation in the Legislature, the report under Section 22 (3) shall be referred to the Premier before it is referred to the Legislature. (*Page 35 of the Report*)

9. The Committee concurs in the recommendation that when Section 12 (11) of The Family Benefits Act is amended, it contain the substance of the Committee's recommendation which is:

"The Board of Review may, on application of any party or on its own motion and with or without a hearing, reconsider and vary any decision made by it and if the Board hears from the parties to the proceedings in which the original decision was made, the provisions of this section, except subsection (4), apply *mutatis mutandis* to the proceedings on such reconsideration."

The amendment should contain the substance of concerns expressed by the Minister that all persons affected by the decision of the Board of Review be given an opportunity to make representations and a reasonable time limit for board rehearings be stipulated. (*Page 44 of the Report*)

10. The Committee concurs in the recommendation that The Financial Administration Act be amended to provide that when the Ombudsman, after all necessary and appropriate requirements of The Ombudsman Act have been adhered to, makes a recommendation to a governmental organization for the payment of a sum of money, in the absence of any other express legal authority, and when the recommendation is entirely accepted by the governmental organization, a "lawful authority" is created for such money to be paid by the governmental organization out of the Consolidated Revenue Fund upon recommendation to the Treasurer for payment of such money by the Minister responsible for the governmental organization. (*Pages 50 and 51 of the Report*)

11. The Committee concurs in the recommendation that the Ministry of Health cause an amendment to be made to The Health Insurance Act providing that:

"where the amount payable by the Plan for an insured service rendered by a physician is not prescribed by the regulations, it is the function of the General Manager and he has the power to determine the amount." (*Page 62 of the Report*)

12. The Committee concurs in the recommendation that the Workmen's Compensation Board revoke its decision of December 30, 1976 and grant the complainant a permanent partial disability pension for the disability referable to his lower back caused by the compensable accident in October, 1958. (*Page 66 of the Report*)

13. The Committee concurs in the recommendation that the Workmen's Compensation Board reconsider, by hearing, its decision of December 15, 1971. In that

hearing the Board should at least hear fresh evidence respecting the relationship between the complainant's symptoms and the compensable accident both from the medical referee appointed in 1971 and the psychiatrist retained by the Ombudsman during the course of his investigation. *(Pages 70 and 71 of the Report)*

14. The Committee concurs in the recommendation that the Workmen's Compensation Board reconsider, by hearing, this matter pursuant to Section 75 of The Workmen's Compensation Act to determine the extent to which total benefits paid to this complainant should be increased. *(Page 74 of the Report)*

15. The Committee also concurs in the recommendation that for the purpose of the hearing, the Workmen's Compensation Board arrange for the complainant to be examined by its consulting psychiatrist who originally examined the complainant in May of 1975 and that the psychiatrist be required to express an opinion specifically as to what proportion of the psychiatric disability suffered by the complainant is attributable to the organic liver dysfunction. *(Pages 74 and 75 of the Report)*

16. The Committee concurs in the recommendation that the Workmen's Compensation Board reconsider this case pursuant to Section 75 when the Corporate Board has finally adopted and approved the policy of benefit of the doubt as discussed with the Ombudsman and this Committee. *(Pages 80 and 81 of the Report)*

17. The Committee concurs in the recommendation that the Workmen's Compensation Board, when the policy of benefit of the doubt has been approved by the Corporate Board, reconsider this case by hearing, pursuant to Section 75 of The Workmen's Compensation Act. At that hearing the Board shall consider the application of the policy of benefit of the doubt to the issues in this case. *(Page 86 of the Report)*

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

The House then adjourned at 10.00 p.m.

Sessional Paper:—

Compendium re: Bill 188, An Act to provide for Rights of Handicapped Persons (No. 265).

ONE HUNDREDTH DAY

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 23RD, 1979

PRAYERS

10.00 O'CLOCK A.M.

Mr. McCague delivered to Mr. Speaker a message from the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor signed by her own hand, and the said message was read by Mr. Speaker and is as follows:—

PAULINE M. MCGIBBON

The Lieutenant Governor transmits Supplementary Estimates of certain additional sums required for the services of the Province for the year ending the 31st March, 1980 and recommends them to the Legislative Assembly.

Toronto, 23rd November, 1979.

(*Sessional Paper No. 3*).

Ordered, That the message of the Lieutenant Governor, together with the Estimates accompanying the same, be referred to the Committee of Supply.

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That the supplementary estimates of the Ministry of Colleges and Universities be referred to the Standing Social Development Committee for consideration within the 17 hours already allocated to that Ministry.

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That the supplementary estimates of the Ministry of Treasury and Economics be considered by the Committee of Supply within the 13 hours already allocated for the Ministry.

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That the Standing Resources Development Committee be authorized to meet the evening of Monday, November 26th, 1979.

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That the Standing Administration of Justice Committee be authorized to meet the afternoon of Wednesday, November 28th, 1979.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 189, An Act to amend The Collection Agencies Act. *Mr. Davison* (Hamilton Centre).

Bill 190, An Act to amend The Consumer Reporting Act, 1973. *Mr. Davison* (Hamilton Centre).

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee)

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980, the following sum:—

MINISTRY OF REVENUE

804. To defray the expenses of the Municipal Assessment Program \$ 55,766,000
and after some time,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had come to a certain Resolution also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

Supply was concurred in for the Office of the Provincial Auditor.

The House then adjourned at 12.40 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Annual Report of the Ministry of the Attorney General (*No. 266*).

Public Trustee Financial Statements and Report on the Audit March 31st, 1979 (*No. 267*).

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MONDAY, NOVEMBER 26TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 277, 278, 279, 280, 309, 351 and 353. (See *Hansard*).

The Interim Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 350 and 352. (See *Hansard*).

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply, to consider Estimates of the Ministry of Treasury and Economics.

and after some time,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported progress, also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

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8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain Bill and, after some time therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bill with certain amendments:—

Bill 122, An Act to provide for the Establishment of Local Services Boards.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

The following Bill was read the third time and was passed:—

Bill 122, An Act to provide for the Establishment of Local Services Boards.

The following Bills were read the second time:—

Bill 146, An Act to amend The Municipal Franchises Act. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

Bill 147, An Act to amend The Local Improvement Act. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

Bill 172, An Act to amend The Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto Act. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

The debate on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 156, An Act to amend The Securities Act, 1978 was resumed, and after some time the motion having been put was declared carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

Debate on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 148, An Act to revise The Certification of Titles Act was adjourned.

The House then adjourned at 9.35 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Compendium re: Bill 176, An Act to amend The Architects Act (*No 268*).

Compendium re: Bill 178, An Act to provide for the Enforcement of Interprovincial Subpoenas (*No. 269*).

Compendium re: Bill 179, The Powers of Attorney Act, 1979 (*No. 270*).

ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND DAY

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 27TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 191, An Act to monitor and regulate the activities of Cults and Mind Development Groups. *Mr. Sweeney.*

Bill 192, An Act to provide for a Basic Residential Power Rate Applicable to the Essential Energy Needs of Residential Households in Ontario. *Mr. Sargent.*

Bill 193, An Act to amend The Health Insurance Act, 1972. *Mr. Breaugh.*

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 164, An Act to amend The Assessment Act, and after some time, the motion carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and more than twenty members standing in their places, pursuant to Standing Order 56(c) the Bill was *Ordered for the Standing General Government Committee.*

The following Bill was read the second time:—

Bill 165, An Act to amend The Corporations Tax Act, 1972. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider certain Bills,

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8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

and, after some time therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bills with certain amendments:—

Bill 156, An Act to amend The Securities Act, 1978.

Bill 165, An Act to amend The Corporations Tax Act, 1972.

Also, That the Committee had directed him to report progress on the following Bill:—

Bill 160, An Act to provide for Compulsory Automobile Insurance.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

The Answer was tabled to Question No. 354 (*See Hansard*).

Two matters were debated on the motion to adjourn and the House then adjourned at 10.45 p.m.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD DAY

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 28TH, 1979

The following Committees met:—

The Standing Administration of Justice Committee.

The Standing General Government Committee.

The Standing Resources Development Committee.

The Standing Social Development Committee.

ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTH DAY

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 29TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Gaunt from the Standing Social Development Committee reported the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That Supply in the following amounts and to defray the expenses of the Ministry of Education be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980:—

MINISTRY OF EDUCATION:

Ministry Administration Program	\$ 23,083,600
Education Program	2,130,571,400
Services to Education Program	165,190,100

Mr. Philip from the Standing Administration of Justice Committee reported the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That Supply in the following amounts and to defray the expenses of the Ministry of the Attorney General be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980:—

MINISTRY OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL:

Law Officer of the Crown Program	\$ 3,486,500
Administrative Services Program	37,173,400

MINISTRY OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL—Continued

Guardian and Trustee Services Program	5,666,000
Crown Legal Services Program	16,641,100
Legislative Counsel Services Program	992,900
Courts Administration Program	76,295,700
Administrative Tribunals Program	8,163,400

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That, the Standing General Government Committee be authorized to meet this afternoon and evening to consider Bill 164, An Act to amend the Assessment Act.

Pursuant to the Order of the House passed November 15th, 1979:—

In the absence of Mr. Lawlor, Mr. Cassidy moved Second Reading of Bill 168, An Act to amend The Health Insurance Act, 1972.

And a debate arising, at 4.34 p.m. further proceedings on the motion were reserved until 5:50 p.m.

Mr. Hodgson then moved, seconded by Mr. Lane,

That, in the opinion of this House, the Government of Ontario should consider the initiation of a study of intensive food production technologies with a view to introducing appropriate programs based on a goal of long-term food self-sufficiency and sustainability of the agricultural sector and a debate arising after some time,

Pursuant to Standing Order 64(e) no objection having been made to the putting of the question on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 168, An Act to amend The Health Insurance Act, 1972, the question having been put was lost on the following division:—

AYES

Bryden
Cassidy
Charlton
Davidson
(Cambridge)
Davison
(Hamilton Centre)
Di Santo

Foulds
Germa
Johnston
(Scarborough West)
Laughren
Lupusella
MacDonald
Mackenzie

Makarchuk
Martel
McClellan
Philip
Renwick
Samis
Young
Ziemba—21

NAYS

Ashe	Hodgson	Peterson
Auld	Jones	Reid
Baetz	Kennedy	(Rainy River)
Belanger	Kerrio	Rollins
Bernier	Lane	Rotenberg
Birch	Leluk	Rowe
Blundy	MacBeth	Ruston
Bradley	Maeck	Smith
Breithaupt	Mancini	(Simcoe East)
Brunelle	McCaffrey	Snow
Conway	McCague	Sterling
Cunningham	McKessock	Stong
Cureatz	McMurtry	Sweeney
Drea	McNeil	Timbrell
Edighoffer	Miller	Van Horne
Epp	(Haldimand-Norfolk)	Villeneuve
Gregory	Miller	Walker
Hall	(Muskoka)	Watson
Havrot	Nixon	Wells
Henderson	Norton	Wiseman
Hennessy	Parrott	Yakabuski—59

Pursuant to Standing Order 64(e) no objection having been made to the putting of the question on Mr. Hodgson's Resolution (*No. 38*) the question having been put was declared carried, and it was,

Resolved, That in the opinion of this House, the Government of Ontario should consider the initiation of a study of intensive food production technologies with a view to introducing appropriate programs based on a goal of long-term food self-sufficiency and sustainability of the agricultural sector.

The Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 349, 356 and 359. (*See Hansard*).

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain Bill:—

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

After some time, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bill with certain amendments:—

Bill 160, An Act to provide for Compulsory Automobile Insurance.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

The following Bill was read the third time and was passed:—

Bill 160, An Act to provide for Compulsory Automobile Insurance.

Debate on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 148, An Act to revise The Certification of Titles Act, was resumed and after some time, the motion carried and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and *Ordered for Third Reading*.

The following Bills were read the second time:—

Bill 149, An Act to amend The Land Titles Act. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

Bill 150, An Act to amend The Registry Act. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill 146, An Act to amend The Municipal Franchises Act.

Bill 147, An Act to amend The Local Improvement Act.

Bill 148, An Act to revise The Certification of Titles Act.

Bill 156, An Act to amend The Securities Act, 1978.

Bill 165, An Act to amend The Corporations Tax Act, 1972.

Bill 172, An Act to amend The Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto Act.

One matter was debated on the motion to adjourn and the House then adjourned at 10.35 p.m.

Sessional Paper:—

Expansion of the Uranium Mines in the Elliot Lake Area—Response of the Government of Ontario to the Final Report of The Environmental Assessment Board, Part 1: Community Assessment (No. 271).

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTH DAY

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 30TH, 1979

PRAYERS

10.00 O'CLOCK A.M.

Mr. Villeneuve from the Standing Resources Development Committee reported the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That Supply in the following amounts and to defray the expenses of the Ministry of Industry and Tourism be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980:—

MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY AND TOURISM:

Ministry Administration Program	\$ 3,694,100
Policy and Priorities Program	2,158,000
Industry Development Program	19,669,000
Tourism Development Program	15,524,000
Ontario Place Corporation Program	1,941,000
Industrial Incentives and Development Program	21,635,000

Mr. McCaffrey from the Standing General Government Committee presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill without amendment:—

Bill 164, An Act to amend The Assessment Act. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That, the Standing Resources Development Committee be authorized to meet the evening of Monday, December 3rd to consider Bill 24, An Act to amend The Environmental Protection Act, 1971.

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That the Standing Administration of Justice Committee be authorized to meet the afternoon of Wednesday, December 5th, 1979.

The Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 360 to 364 inclusive (*See Hansard*).

The following Bill was read the third time and was passed:—

Bill 164, An Act to amend The Assessment Act.

Supply was concurred in for the Ministry of Housing.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply, to consider Estimates of the Ministry of Treasury and Economics,

and after some time,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported progress, also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

Mr. Speaker informed the House that, in the name of Her Majesty the Queen, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor had been pleased to assent to the following Bills in her Chambers:—

Bill 122, An Act to provide for the Establishment of Local Services Boards.

Bill 146, An Act to amend The Municipal Franchises Act.

Bill 147, An Act to amend The Local Improvement Act.

Bill 148, An Act to revise The Certification of Titles Act.

Bill 156, An Act to amend The Securities Act, 1978.

Bill 160, An Act to provide for Compulsory Automobile Insurance.

Bill 164, An Act to amend The Assessment Act.

Bill 165, An Act to amend The Corporations Tax Act, 1972.

Bill 172, An Act to amend The Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto Act.

The House then adjourned at 1.00 p.m.

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH DAY

MONDAY, DECEMBER 3RD, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

A petition was presented by Mr. Swart re: Oil Tank in City of Welland being used as storage and transfer station for waste solvents (*Sessional Paper No. 274*).

Mr. Breagh from the Standing Procedural Affairs Committee presented the Committee's Second Report on Agencies, Boards and Commissions (*Sessional Paper No. 273*) and moved its adoption.

On motion by Mr. Breagh,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

The following Bill was introduced, read the first time and referred to the Standing General Government Committee:—

Bill Pr33, An Act respecting the Town of Cobourg. *Mr. Rowe*.

The Answer was tabled to Question No. 357 (*See Hansard*).

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply, to consider Estimates of the Ministry of Treasury and Economics.

and after some time,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported progress, also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bills were read the second time:—

Bill 162, An Act to amend The Child Welfare Act, 1978. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

Bill 170, An Act to amend The Education Act, 1974. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

Bill 173, An Act to amend The Municipal Act. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

Bill 180, An Act to amend The Unified Family Court Act, 1976. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

The House then adjourned at 10.30 p.m.

Sessional Paper:—

Letter from the Honourable George R. McCague, Chairman of the Management Board of Cabinet to Mr. Sean O'Flynn President Ontario Public Service Employees Union re: a separate category for Correctional Services and pay related classes and related papers (No. 272).

ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTH DAY

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 4TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That the Resources Development Committee sit tomorrow at 9.00 a.m. to consider Bill 24, An Act to amend The Environmental Protection Act, 1971.

The following Bills were read the second time:—

Bill 161, An Act to amend The Public Commercial Vehicles Act. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

Bill 175, An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider certain Bills and, after some time therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bill without amendment:—

Bill 175, An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act.

Also, that the Committee had directed him to report the following Bills with certain amendments:—

Bill 149, An Act to amend The Land Titles Act.

Bill 150, An Act to amend The Registry Act.

Bill 159, An Act to amend The Family Law Reform Act, 1978.

Bill 161, An Act to amend The Public Commercial Vehicles Act.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

The following Bills were read the second time:—

Bill 177, An Act to amend The Compensation for Victims of Crime Act, 1971. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

Bill 178, An Act to provide for the Enforcement of Interprovincial Subpoenas. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Bill 171, An Act to amend The Ontario Municipal Improvement Corporation Act. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

Bill 176, An Act to amend The Architects Act. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

Bill 179, The Powers of Attorney Act, 1979. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

Bill 181, An Act to provide for the Consolidation and Revision of the Statutes. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

Bill 182, An Act to provide for the Consolidation and Revision of the Regulations. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider certain Bills and, after some time therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bills with certain amendments.

Bill 177, An Act to amend The Compensation for Victims of Crime Act, 1971.

Bill 179, The Powers of Attorney Act, 1979.

Also, That the Committee had directed him to report progress on the following Bill:—

Bill 176, An Act to amend The Architects Act.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

The Answer was tabled to Question No. 333 (*See Hansard*).

Responses were tabled to the following petitions:—

Mr. Cassidy re: health care in Ontario (*Sessional Paper No. 261 - Part 2*).

Mr. Wildman re: health care in Northern Ontario (*Sessional Paper No. 262 - Part 2*).

Mr. Stong re: use of Wintario funds to support Hospitals and Medical Care (*Sessional Paper No. 263 - Part 2*).

Mr. Cooke re: health care in Windsor (*Sessional Paper No. 264 - Part 2*).

The House then adjourned at 10.30 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Annual Report of the Director/1978-79. Legislative Library Research and Information Services (*No. 275*).

Facilities for Storage of PCB wastes—prepared for Ontario Ministry of the Environment—selection of sites and handling systems October 1979 (*No. 276*).

ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTH DAY

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 5TH, 1979

The following Committees met:—

The Standing Administration of Justice Committee.

The Standing General Government Committee.

The Standing Resources Development Committee.

The Standing Social Development Committee.

ONE HUNDRED AND NINTH DAY

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 6TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Breaugh from the Standing Procedural Affairs Committee presented a report from the Committee as follows:—

Your Committee has considered the timing of delivery to the critics of estimates briefing material.

The Committee is of the view that briefing material should be given to the critics as soon as it is ready, but no later than the two weeks before the beginning of the Ministry's estimates.

Most problems relating to delivery of briefing material seem to be adequately resolved through the office of the Government House Leader. The Committee therefore sees no need for an amendment to the Standing Order in this matter.

Your Committee has also considered the practice of Members making statements to the House concerning events or persons from their constituencies.

The Committee recommends that Members wishing to make such a statement should inform Mr. Speaker beforehand so that he may decide whether it is appropriate for a statement to be made.

Mr. Breaugh from the Standing Procedural Affairs Committee presented the Committee's Report as follows and moved its adoption:—

Your Committee has reviewed the practice of amending Private Members' Resolutions.

Private Members' opportunities for presenting their views to the House for debate are very limited. In the Committee's view, it is undesirable for amendments to a Private Member's Resolution to shift the entire focus of the debate away from the original idea proposed by the mover of the resolution.

The Committee therefore recommends that a new section be added to Standing Order 64, to read:

No amendment may be made to a motion under this Standing Order.

On motion by Mr. Breagh,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

Mr. Breagh from the Standing Procedural Affairs Committee presented the Committee's Report as follows and moved its adoption:—

Your Committee has considered the matter of referring Private Members' Public Bills to committee and recommends as follows:

That a new section be added to Standing Order 64 to read:

Notwithstanding Standing Order 56(c), Private Members' Public Bills given second reading shall stand referred to the Committee of the Whole House, unless referred to a Standing or Select Committee by a majority of the House.

On motion by Mr. Breagh,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

Mr. Villeneuve from the Standing Resources Development Committee presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill with certain amendments:—

Bill 24, An Act to amend The Environmental Protection Act, 1971.

Ordered for Third Reading.

Mr. Gaunt from the Standing Social Development Committee reported the following Resolutions:—

Resolved, That Supply in the following amounts and to defray the expenses of the Ministry of Colleges and Universities be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980:—

MINISTRY OF COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES:

Ministry Administration Program	\$ 5,884,000
University Support Program	886,510,000
College and Adult Education Support Program	446,682,000
Student Affairs Program	90,898,000

—and—

Resolved, That Supply in the following supplementary amount and to defray the expenses of the Ministry of Colleges and Universities be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980:—

MINISTRY OF COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES:

College and Adult Education Support Program \$ 8,023,400

Mr. McCaffrey from the Standing General Government Committee reported the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That Supply in the following amounts and to defray the expenses of the Ministry of Energy be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980:—

MINISTRY OF ENERGY:

Ministry Administration Program	\$ 1,484,000
Conventional Energy Program	2,263,000
Renewable Energy Program	2,590,000
Energy Conservation Program	7,187,000
Regulatory Affairs Program	1,331,000
Energy Supply Program	550,000

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That, notwithstanding any order of the House, the Standing Resources Development Committee may meet tonight and that the House may meet to debate a matter in the Resources Policy Field.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 194, An Act to amend The Ontario Unconditional Grants Act, 1975. *Mr. Wells.*

Bill 195, An Act to amend The Regional Municipality of Peel Act, 1973. *Mr. Wells.*

Bill 196, An Act to amend The Crown Employees Collective Bargaining Act, 1972. *Mr. Mackenzie.*

Bill 197, An Act to amend The Public Hospitals Act. *Mr. Breaugh.*

Bill 198, An Act to amend The Legislative Assembly Act. *Mr. Sterling.*

The following Bill was introduced, read the first time and referred to the Standing General Government Committee:—

Bill Pr31, An Act to revive Sarnia Portable Equipment Rentals Limited. *Mr. Blundy.*

Before the Orders of the Day,

Ms. Gigantes moved, seconded by Mr. Cassidy, That the ordinary business of the House be set aside to discuss a matter of urgent public importance—namely the impending crisis in the availability of energy supplies particularly home heating oil.

Mr. Speaker ruled that the motion was in order, and the House having unanimously agreed, the debate proceeded to conclusion.

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The motion for Adoption of Parts 3 and 4 of the Final Report of the Standing Resources Development Committee on Acidic Precipitation, Abatement of Emissions from the International Nickel Company operations at Sudbury, Pollution Control in the Pulp and Paper Industry and Pollution Abatement at the Reed Paper Mill in Dryden having been read, and a debate arising, after some time the motion having been put was declared carried, and Parts 3 and 4 of the Report were accordingly adopted.

On motion by Mr. Wells.

The Order for Second Reading of Bill 158, an Act to amend The Regional Municipality of Peel Act, 1973, was discharged and the Bill withdrawn.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill 149, An Act to amend The Land Titles Act.

Bill 150, An Act to amend The Registry Act.

Bill 159, An Act to amend The Family Law Reform Act, 1978.

Bill 161, An Act to amend The Public Commercial Vehicles Act.

Bill 162, An Act to amend The Child Welfare Act, 1978.

Bill 170, An Act to amend The Education Act, 1974.

Bill 171, An Act to amend The Ontario Municipal Improvement Corporation Act.

Bill 175, An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act.

Bill 177, An Act to amend The Compensation for Victims of Crime Act, 1971.

Bill 178, An Act to provide for the Enforcement of Interprovincial Subpoenas.

Bill 179, The Powers of Attorney Act, 1979.

Bill 181, An Act to provide for the Consolidation and Revision of the Statutes.

Bill 182, An Act to provide for the Consolidation and Revision of the Regulations.

The interim answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 358 and 365 (*See Hansard*).

The House then adjourned at 10.17 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Memorandum of Understanding between The Ontario Stock Yards Board and The Minister of Agriculture and Food (*No. 277*).

Compendium and Consolidation re: Bill 194, An Act to amend The Ontario Unconditional Grants Act, 1975 (*No. 278*).

Compendium re: Bill 195, An Act to amend The Regional Municipality of Peel Act, 1973 (*No. 279*).

ONE HUNDRED AND TENTH DAY

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 7TH, 1979

PRAYERS

10.00 O'CLOCK A.M.

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That, the Standing Administration of Justice Committee be authorized to meet the afternoon of Wednesday, December 12, 1979.

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That, the Standing Public Accounts Committee be authorized to meet at 9.00 a.m. Tuesday, December 11, 1979.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 199, An Act to amend The Libel and Slander Act. *Mr. McMurtry*.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply, to consider Estimates of the Ministry of Treasury and Economics,

and after some time,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported progress, also, That the Committee had directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

The House then adjourned at 1.00 p.m.

Sessional Paper:—

Compendium re: Bill 199, An Act to amend The Libel and Slander Act (*No. 280*).

ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH DAY

MONDAY, DECEMBER 10TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Philip from the Standing Administration of Justice Committee presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bill without amendment:—

Bill Pr30, An Act to revive South Russell Holdings Limited.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 200, An Act to amend The Consumer Protection Act. *Mr. Swart.*

Before the Orders of the Day,

Mr. Cassidy moved, seconded by Mr. Cooke, pursuant to Standing Order No. 34 (a), That the ordinary business of the House be set aside to discuss a matter of urgent public importance—namely the massive layoffs and trade deficits that are causing the crisis in our auto industry.

After hearing the arguments of the mover and a representative of the other parties, Mr. Speaker ruled that the matter proposed for discussion did not relate to a genuine emergency, calling for immediate and urgent consideration under Standing Order No. 34 and therefore ruled the matter to be out of order.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply, to consider Estimates of the Ministry of Treasury and Economics,

and after some time,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported progress, also, That the Committee has directed him to ask for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

Resolved, That the Committee have leave to sit again.

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain Bill and, after some time therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report progress on the following Bill:—

Bill 77, An Act to amend The Crown Timber Act.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

The House then adjourned at 10.30 p.m.

ONE HUNDRED AND TWELFTH DAY

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 11TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. MacDonald from the Select Committee on Ontario Hydro Affairs presented an Interim Report on the Safety of Ontario's Nuclear Reactors, and moved its adoption (*Sessional paper No. 281*).

On motion by Mr. MacDonald,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That, the Estimates of the Resources Development Policy Field be withdrawn from the Standing Resources Development Committee and referred to the Standing Social Development Committee.

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That on Thursday, December 13th the House will meet at 10.00 a.m., with a luncheon interval from 1.00 p.m. to 2.00 p.m., with the Routine Proceedings to be called at 2.00 p.m.

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That Private Members' Balloted Items scheduled to have been debated on Thursday, December 6th be debated on Thursday, December 13th and further, that, the present balloted schedule be continued during the Fourth Session of this Parliament.

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That the time allocated for Private Members' Public Business on Thursday, December 20th be used for the consideration of Government Business.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 201, An Act for the establishment and conduct of a Project in The Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto to improve methods of processing Complaints by members of the Public against Police Officers on the Metropolitan Police Force. *Mr. McMurtry.*

Bill 202, An Act respecting Occupiers' Liability. *Mr. McMurtry.*

Bill 203, An Act to protect against Trespass to Property. *Mr. McMurtry.*

Bill 204, An Act to amend The Labour Relations Act. *Mr. Elgie.*

A Return was tabled to Question No. 367 (*Sessional paper No. 282*).

The Answer was tabled to Question No. 366 (*See Hansard*).

The following Bill was read the third time and was passed:—

Bill 24, An Act to amend The Environmental Protection Act, 1971.

The following Bills were read the second time:—

Bill Pr5, An Act respecting the City of Toronto. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

Bill Pr30, An Act to revive South Russell Holdings Limited. *Ordered for Third Reading.*

The following Bill was read the third time and was passed:—

Bill Pr30, An Act to revive South Russell Holdings Limited.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain Bill and, after some time therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bill with certain amendments:—

Bill 77, An Act to amend The Crown Timber Act.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following Bills were read the second time:—

Bill 194, An Act to amend The Ontario Unconditional Grants Act, 1975.
Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.

Bill 195, An Act to amend The Regional Municipality of Peel Act, 1973.
Ordered for Third Reading.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider certain Bills and, after some time therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill 176, An Act to amend The Architects Act.

Bill 194, An Act to amend The Ontario Unconditional Grants Act, 1975.

Also, that the Committee had directed him to report the following Bill with certain amendments:—

Bill 180, An Act to amend The Unified Family Court Act, 1976.

Also, That the Committee had directed him to report progress on the following Bill:—

Bill 173, An Act to amend The Municipal Act.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

The House then adjourned at 10.30 p.m.

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTEENTH DAY

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 12TH, 1979

The following Committees met:—

The Standing Administration of Justice Committee.

The Standing General Government Committee.

The Standing Resources Development Committee.

The Standing Social Development Committee.

ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTEENTH DAY

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 13TH, 1979

PRAYERS

10.00 O'CLOCK A.M.

Supply was concurred in as follows:—

Supply for the Ministry of Transportation and Communications.

Supply for the Ministry of Consumer and Commercial Relations.

THE AFTERNOON SITTING

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Ministers' Statements and Question Period to 3.35 p.m.

Mr. Gaunt from the Standing Social Development Committee reported the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That Supply in the following amount and to defray the expenses of the Resources Development Policy be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980:—

RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT POLICY:

Resources Development Policy Program	\$	3,696,300
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Mr. Gaunt from the Standing Social Development Committee reported the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That Supply in the following amount and to defray the expenses of the Social Development Policy be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980:—

SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT POLICY:

Social Development Policy Program	\$	2,395,400
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Mr. MacDonald from the Select Committee on Ontario Hydro Affairs presented the Committee's Special Report on The Need for Electrical Capacity (*Sessional Paper No. 286*).

On motion by Mr. MacDonald,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

Mr. Philip from the Standing Administration of Justice Committee reported the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That Supply in the following amounts and to defray the expenses of the Ministry of the Solicitor General be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980:—

MINISTRY OF THE SOLICITOR GENERAL:

Ministry Administration Program	\$ 3,376,900
Public Safety Program	12,464,000
Supervision of Police Forces Program	7,233,000

ONTARIO PROVINCIAL POLICE:

Management and Support Services Program	26,520,000
Operations Program	124,888,000

Mr. McCaffrey from the Standing General Government Committee presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills without amendment:—

Bill Pr18, An Act respecting the City of Sarnia.

Bill Pr28, An Act respecting the City of North Bay.

Bill Pr31, An Act to revive Sarnia Portable Equipment Rentals Limited.

Bill Pr33, An Act respecting the Town of Cobourg.

Your Committee begs to report the following Bills with certain amendments:—

Bill Pr21, An Act respecting the City of Hamilton.

Bill Pr27, An Act respecting the City of Windsor.

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That, the Standing Resources Development Committee be authorized to meet the evening of Monday, December 17, 1979.

The Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 368, 369, 370 and 387 (*See Hansard*).

Before the Orders of the Day,

Mr. Smith (Hamilton West) moved, seconded by Mr. Nixon,

That pursuant to Standing Order 34(a) the ordinary business of the House be set aside to discuss a matter of urgent public interest, namely the impact of the proposed Federal Budget on the economy of Ontario and on the Ontario consumers of energy; and for the purpose of urging the Premier of Ontario to introduce forthwith a resolution condemning the proposed Federal Budget.

After hearing the arguments of the mover and the representatives of the other parties, Mr. Speaker ruled that the motion did not meet the requirements of Standing Order 34.

On appeal, the Speaker's ruling was sustained on the following division:—

AYES

Ashe
Auld
Baetz
Belanger
Bennett
Bernier
Birch
Bounsall
Brunelle
Bryden
Cassidy
Charlton
Cureatz
Davis
Di Santo
Drea
Dukszta
Eaton
Germa
Gigantes
Grande
Gregory
Grossman
Havrot
Henderson
Hennessy
Hodgson

Isaacs
Johnson
(Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)
Johnston
(Scarborough West)
Jones
Kennedy
Kerr
Lane
Laughren
Lawlor
Leluk
Lupusella
MacDonald
Mackenzie
Maeck
McCaffrey
McCague
McClellan
McMurtry
McNeil
Miller
(Muskoka)
Newman
(Durham-York)
Norton
Parrott

Philip
Pope
Ramsay
Rollins
Rotenberg
Rowe
Scrivener
Smith
(Simcoe East)
Snow
Stephenson
Sterling
Swart
Taylor
(Simcoe Centre)
Timbrell
Villeneuve
Walker
Warner
Watson
Welch
Wells
Wildman
Williams
Wiseman
Young
Ziemba—75

NAYS

Blundy
Bradley
Breithaupt

Campbell
Conway
Cunningham

Eakins
Epp
Gaunt

NAYS—Continued

Hall	Nixon	Roy
Kerrio	O'Neil	Sargent
McGuigan	Peterson	Smith
McKessock	Reid	(Hamilton West)
Newman	(Rainy River)	Stong
(Windsor-Walkerville)	Riddell	Sweeney
		Van Horne—25

Mr. Smith (Hamilton West) moved Second Reading of Bill 185, An Act respecting Environmental Rights in Ontario and a debate arising, at 5.14 p.m. further proceedings on the motion were reserved until 5.50 p.m. and:—

Mr. Bounsall then moved Second Reading of Bill 187, An Act to amend The Education Act, 1974 and a debate arising after some time,

Pursuant to Standing Order 64(e) the following members signified their objection to the question being put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 185, An Act respecting Environmental Rights in Ontario.

Auld	Johnson	Rollings
Baetz	(Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)	Rotenberg
Belanger	Kennedy	Rowe
Brunelle	Lane	Stephenson
Drea	MacBeth	Sterling
Eaton	Maeck	Taylor
Gregory	McCaffrey	(Simcoe Centre)
Havrot	McCague	Villeneuve
Henderson	Newman	Watson
Hennessy	(Durham York)	Wells
Hodgson	Norton	Williams
	Parrott	Wiseman—32

and accordingly the Question was not put.

Pursuant to Standing order 64(e) the following members signified their objection to the question being put on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 187, An Act to amend The Education Act, 1974.

Auld	Grossman	Lane
Baetz	Havrot	MacBeth
Belanger	Henderson	Maeck
Brunelle	Hennessy	McCaffrey
Cureatz	Hodgson	McCague
Drea	Johnson	Newman
Eaton	(Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)	(Durham York)
Gregory	Kennedy	Norton

Parrott
Rollins
Rotenberg
Rowe

Stephenson
Sterling
Taylor
(Simcoe Centre)

Villeneuve
Watson
Wells
Williams
Wiseman—34

and accordingly the Question was not put.

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The Order of the Day for resuming the adjourned debate on the motion for adoption of the First Report of the Standing Statutory Instruments Committee having been read, it was,

On motion by Mr. Williams,

Ordered, That the Order be discharged.

Debate on the motion for adoption of the Second Report of the Standing Statutory Instruments Committee dated November 1979 was resumed, and after some time, the motion carried and the Second Report of the Standing Statutory Instruments Committee dated November 1979 was accordingly adopted.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the amendment to the motion, That this House approves in general the Budgetary policy of the Government, having been read,

The debate was resumed, and, after some time,

On motion by Mr. Worton,

Ordered, That the debate be Adjourned.

The House then adjourned at 10.30 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Compendium re: Bill 201, The Metropolitan Police Force Complaints Project Act, 1979 (*No.* 283).

Compendium re: Bill 202, An Act respecting Occupiers' Liability (*No.* 284).

Annual Report of the Ministry of the Environment 1978-79 (No. 285).

Options on Medical Consent—Part 2, Recommendations and Draft Legislation, December 1979 (No. 287).

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTEENTH DAY

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 14TH, 1979

PRAYERS

10.00 O'CLOCK A.M.

Mr. Philip from the Standing Administration of Justice Committee reported the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That Supply in the following amount and to defray the expenses of the Justice Policy be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980:—

JUSTICE POLICY:

Justice Policy Program	\$	736,400
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The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 205, An Act to amend The Children's Law Reform Act, 1977. *Mr. McMurtry.*

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into the Committee of Supply.

(In the Committee)

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980, the following sums:—

MINISTRY OF TREASURY AND ECONOMICS

901. To defray the expenses of the Ministry Administration Program	\$	3,648,300
902. To defray the expenses of the Finance Program		8,249,000
903. To defray the expenses of the Economic Policy Program		10,065,000
904. To defray the expenses of the Central Statistical Services Program		1,095,000

—and—

Resolved, That there be granted to Her Majesty, for the services of the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980, the following supplementary sum:—

MINISTRY OF TREASURY AND ECONOMICS

Economic Policy Program \$ 165,000,000

and after some time,

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair; and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had come to certain Resolutions.

Ordered, That the Report be received.

In the absence of Mr. Edighoffer, Mr. MacBeth, from the Committee of Supply, reported the following Resolutions which were concurred in by the House:—

Resolved, That Supply in the following amounts and to defray the expenses of the Government Ministries named, be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980:—

MINISTRY OF GOVERNMENT SERVICES:

Ministry Administration Program	\$ 5,271,800
Provision of Accommodation Program	140,262,100
Upkeep of Accommodation Program	66,215,100
Supply and Services Program	47,705,000
Communications and Computer Services Program	12,320,800

MINISTRY OF NORTHERN AFFAIRS:

Ministry Administration Program	1,472,000
Project Development and Community Relations Program	5,409,000
Northern Communities Assistance Program	32,255,000
Regional Priorities and Development Program	102,571,000

MINISTRY OF INTERGOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS:

Ministry Administration Program	1,264,000
Intergovernmental Affairs Program	1,172,000
Local Government Affairs Program	545,678,000

MANAGEMENT BOARD:

Ministry Administration Program	90,690,500
Policy Development and Analysis Program	5,815,000
Management Audit Program	750,000
Employee Relations Program	851,000
Government Personnel Services Program	640,000

OFFICE OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR:

Office of the Lieutenant Governor Program\$ 127,000

CABINET OFFICE:

Cabinet Office Program 1,255,000

OFFICE OF THE PREMIER:

Office of the Premier Program 1,639,400

MINISTRY OF REVENUE:

Ministry Administration Program 5,971,300

Administration of Taxes Program 28,804,000

Guaranteed Income and Tax Credit Program 100,064,000

Municipal Assessment Program 55,766,000

MINISTRY OF TREASURY AND ECONOMICS:

Ministry Administration Program 3,648,300

Finance Program 8,249,000

Economic Policy Program 10,065,000

Central Statistical Services Program 1,095,000

—and—

Resolved, That Supply in the following supplementary amount and to defray the expenses of the Government Ministry named, be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980:—

MINISTRY OF TREASURY AND ECONOMICS:

Economic Policy Program \$ 165,000,000

The House then adjourned at 12.50 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Third Annual Report of the Health Disciplines Board for 1978 and the Report of the Denture Therapists Appeal Board for 1978 (*No.* 288).

Compendium re: Bill 205, An Act to amend The Children's Law Reform Act, 1977 (*No.* 289).

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTEENTH DAY

MONDAY, DECEMBER 17TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Philip from the Standing Administration of Justice Committee presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee recommends that Bill Pr20, An Act respecting Ontario Bible College and Ontario Theological Seminary be not reported, it having been withdrawn by the Applicant and further that the fees, less the cost of printing, be remitted with respect thereto.

A response was tabled to a petition presented by Mr. Swart re: Oil Tank in City of Welland being used as storage and transfer station for waste solvents (*Sessional Paper No. 274—Part 2*).

A Return was tabled to Question No. 308 (*Sessional Paper No. 292*).

The Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 371, 373, 382, 383, 384, 389 and 394 (*See Hansard*).

The Interim Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 385, 388 and 390 (*See Hansard*).

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain Bill and, after some time therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bill with a certain amendment:—

Bill 173, An Act to amend The Municipal Act.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

The following Bill was read the second time:—

Bill 174, An Act respecting the Composition of the Council of the Town of Midland. *Ordered for Third Reading*.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain Bill and, after some time therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bill with a certain amendment:—

Bill Pr5, An Act respecting the City of Toronto.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

The following Bill was read the second time:—

Bill 154, An Act to amend The Regional Municipality of Hamilton-Wentworth Act, 1973. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House*.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain Bill:—

After some time, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bill without amendment:—

Bill 154, An Act to amend The Regional Municipality of Hamilton-Wentworth Act, 1973.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

Supply was concurred in as follows:—

Supply for the Ministry of Education.

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Supply for the Ministry of Colleges and Universities.

Supplementary Supply for the Ministry of Colleges and Universities.

Supply for the Ministry of Community and Social Services.

Supply for the Ministry of Culture and Recreation.

Debate on the motion for concurrence in supply for the Ministry of the Attorney General was adjourned.

The House then adjourned at 10.30 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Report of the Provincial Auditor for the year ended March 31, 1979 (*No. 1*).

Reports relating to the Ontario Hydro Claireville to Cherrywood Transmission line. 1. Report of the Parkway Belt Steering Committee on redesign of the Parkway Belt West Bathurst Street to Bayview Avenue, May, 1979. 2. Report of the Steering Committee on Ontario Hydro 500 kv transmission line Claireville to Cherrywood Box Grove area, Jan. 4, 1979. 3. Feasibility Report on High voltage underground cable installation Parkway Belt West, October, 1978 (*No. 290*).

Order-in-Council #3105/79 re: Ontario Hydro Transmission Lines from Claireville to Highway 48, pursuant to Section 6(3) of The Expropriations Act (*No. 291*).

ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTEENTH DAY

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 18TH, 1979

PRAYERS

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Villeneuve from the Standing Resources Development Committee presented the Committee's Report on the Annual Report of the Ontario Highway Transport Board for 1977 (*Sessional Paper No. 295*) and moved its adoption.

On motion by Mr. Villeneuve,

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That, the House meet tomorrow, Wednesday, December 19, in the Chamber at 10.00 a.m., with a luncheon interval from 1.00 p.m. until 2.00 p.m., with the Routine Proceedings to be called at 2.00 p.m.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 206, An Act to amend The Regional Municipality of York Act. *Mr. Wells.*

Bill 207, An Act to provide Protection for the Buyers of Homes. *Mr. Isaacs.*

A Return was tabled to Question No. 392 (*Sessional Paper No. 296*).

The Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 374, 378, 379, 380, 391 and 393 (*See Hansard*).

The Interim Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 375, 376, 377 and 381 (*See Hansard*).

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill 77, An Act to amend The Crown Timber Act.

Bill 154, An Act to amend The Regional Municipality of Hamilton-Wentworth Act, 1973.

Bill 173, An Act to amend The Municipal Act.

Bill 174, An Act respecting the Composition of the Council of the Town of Midland.

Bill 176, An Act to amend The Architects Act.

Bill 180, An Act to amend The Unified Family Court Act, 1976.

Bill 194, An Act to amend The Ontario Unconditional Grants Act, 1975.

Bill 195, An Act to amend The Regional Municipality of Peel Act, 1973.

Bill Pr5, An Act respecting the City of Toronto.

The following Bills were read the second time and *Ordered for Third Reading*:—

Bill Pr18, An Act respecting the City of Sarnia.

Bill Pr21, An Act respecting the City of Hamilton.

Bill Pr28, An Act respecting the City of North Bay.

Bill Pr31, An Act to revive Sarnia Portable Equipment Rentals Limited.

Bill Pr33, An Act respecting the Town of Cobourg.

The following Bills were read the third time and were passed:—

Bill Pr18, An Act respecting the City of Sarnia.

Bill Pr21, An Act respecting the City of Hamilton.

Bill Pr28, An Act respecting the City of North Bay.

Bill Pr31, An Act to revive Sarnia Portable Equipment Rentals Limited.

Bill Pr33, An Act respecting the Town of Cobourg.

The following Bill was read the second time:—

Bill 204, An Act to amend The Labour Relations Act. *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House.*

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain Bill and, after some time therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bill with certain amendments:—

Bill 204, An Act to amend The Labour Relations Act.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

The following Bill was read the second time:—

Bill 127, An Act to revise The Pits and Quarries Control Act, 1971. *Ordered for Standing Resources Development Committee.*

THE EVENING SITTING

8.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Debate on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 202, An Act respecting Occupiers' Liability was adjourned.

The House then adjourned at 10.30 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

Commission on Freedom of Information and Individual Privacy Research Publication 11—Government Secrecy, and the Public's Right to know: an Overview of the Ontario Law. And Research Publication 12—Freedom of Information and Individual Privacy: a selective Bibliography (*No. 293*).

Ontario Arts Council 16th Annual Report 1978/79 (*No. 294*).

Compendium re: Bill 206, An Act to amend The Regional Municipality of York Act (*No. 297*).

ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTEENTH DAY

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 19TH, 1979

PRAYERS

10.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Debate on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 202, An Act respecting Occupiers' Liability was resumed, and after some time, the motion carried, and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and *Ordered for Standing Resources Development Committee*.

The following Bill was read the second time:—

Bill 203, An Act to protect against Trespass to Property. *Ordered for Standing Resources Development Committee*.

Debate on the motion for Concurrence in Supply for the Ministry of the Attorney General was resumed, and after some time, the motion carried, and Supply was accordingly concurred in.

THE AFTERNOON SITTING

2.00 O'CLOCK P.M.

Ministers' Statements and Question Period to 3.10 p.m.

Petitions were presented as follows:—

Mr. Swart re: Railway Cars at Port Robinson (*Sessional Paper No. 298*).

Mr. Cassidy re: Health Care in Ontario (*Sessional Paper No. 299*).

Mr. Wildman re: Health Care in Northern Ontario (*Sessional Paper No. 300*).

Mr. McCaffrey from the Standing General Government Committee presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee begs leave to report the following Bill with certain amendments, section 5 thereof having been reported favourably by the Commissioners of Estate Bills.

Bill Pr25, An Act respecting the City of London.

Mr. Villeneuve from the Standing Resources Development Committee reported the following Resolution:—

Resolved, That Supply in the following amounts and to defray the expenses of the Ministry of Labour be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1980:—

MINISTRY OF LABOUR:

Ministry Administration Program	\$ 8,014,300
Industrial Relations Program	2,956,000
Women's Program	653,000
Occupational Health and Safety Program	20,429,300
Employment Standards Program	3,074,000
Ontario Manpower Co-ordinating Committee Program	251,000
Human Rights Commission Program	1,862,000
Labour Relations Board Program	2,413,000

Mr. Philip from the Standing Administration of Justice Committee presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee recommends that the fees, less the actual cost of printing, be remitted on Bill Pr3, An Act respecting Young People's Theatre.

Mr. Philip from the Standing Administration of Justice Committee presented the Committee's Report which was read as follows and adopted:—

Your Committee recommends that Bill 19, An Act to amalgamate the Ministry of Colleges and Universities and the Ministry of Education be not reported and that the Minister of Colleges and Universities and the Minister of Education re-introduce the Bill with a preamble thereto.

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That, tomorrow, Thursday, December 20th, the House meet at 10.00 a.m. with the Routine Proceedings to be called at 10.00 a.m. and a luncheon interval from 1.00 p.m. to 2.00 p.m.

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That, the Select Committee on Ontario Hydro Affairs be authorized to travel to Thunder Bay and Atikokan, Ontario, and White Shell, Manitoba in the period from January 15 to January 17, 1980, for purposes related to the Committee's term of reference respecting environment impact and health considerations related to nuclear power.

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That, all the Government orders for resuming adjourned debates on motions for adopting reports from committees, except for the June 21st report of the Standing Resources Development Committee and the November 1st report of the Standing Members' Services Committee, be placed on the Order Paper on the second sessional day of the fourth session of the 31st Parliament.

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That, the Standing Resources Development Committee be authorized to sit during the interval between the sessions to consider Bill 127, An Act to revise The Pits and Quarries Control Act, 1971; and that, notwithstanding the prorogation of the House, Bill 127 remain referred to this committee for clause-by-clause examination, and upon commencement of the Fourth Session of the 31st Parliament, the Bill shall be deemed to have been introduced and read the first time, be deemed to have been read a second time and referred to the Standing Resources Development Committee.

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That, notwithstanding the prorogation of the House, Bill 202, An Act respecting Occupiers' Liability, and Bill 203, An Act to protect against Trespass to Property, remain referred to the Standing Resources Development Committee for clause-by-clause examination, and upon commencement of the Fourth Session of the 31st Parliament, the Bills shall be deemed to have been introduced and read the first time, be deemed to have been read a second time and referred to the Standing Resources Development Committee.

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That, the Standing General Government Committee be authorized to sit during the interval between the sessions to consider Bill 3, An Act to amend the Employment Standards Act, 1974; and that, the committee be authorized, notwithstanding any practice or Order of the House, to report its observations and deliberations on the Bill or the subject matter of the Bill; and that, notwithstanding the prorogation of the House, Bill 3 remain referred to this committee for clause-by-clause examination, and upon commencement of the Fourth Session of the 31st Parliament, the Bill shall be deemed to have been introduced and read the first time, be deemed to

have been read a second time and referred to the Standing General Government Committee.

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That, the following Standing Committees be continued and authorized to sit during the interval between the Sessions:

- Standing General Government Committee to consider Bill 3.
- Standing Resources Development Committee to consider Bill 127, Bill 202 and Bill 203, and the Annual Report of the Minister of Natural Resources for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1979.
- Standing Public Accounts Committee to consider the Report of the Provincial Auditor, the sittings of the Committee to take place during the month of February, 1980.
- Standing Members' Services Committee to examine the operation of constituency offices, as approved by the Board of Internal Economy, the sittings of the Committee to take place during the month of February, 1980.

The following Bills were introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 208, An Act to amend The Farm Products Marketing Act. *Mr. Riddell*.

Bill 209, An Act to amend The Workmen's Compensation Act. *Mr. Elgie*.

Bill 210, An Act to provide a Procedure for Reviewing Citizens' Complaints concerning Police Conduct in The Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto. *Mr. Warner*.

A Return was tabled to Question No. 395 (*Sessional Paper No. 302*).

The Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 386, 397 and 398 (*See Hansard*).

The following Bill was read the third time and was passed:—

Bill 204, An Act to amend The Labour Relations Act.

The following Bill was read the second time and *Ordered for Third Reading*.

Bill Pr25, An Act respecting the City of London.

The following Bill was read the third time and was passed:—

Bill Pr25, An Act respecting the City of London.

Supply was concurred in as follows:—

For the Ministry of the Solicitor General.

For the Provincial Secretary for Justice.

For the Ministry of Health.

The House then adjourned at 6.00 p.m.

Sessional Paper:—

Current Concerns in Workmen's Compensation (*No. 301*).

ONE HUNDRED AND NINETEENTH DAY

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 20TH, 1979

PRAYERS

10.00 O'CLOCK A.M.

A petition was presented as follows:—

Mr. Conway re: Cost of licence plates in Deux Rivieres. (*Sessional Paper No. 308*).

Mr. Reid (Rainy River) from the Standing Public Accounts Committee presented the Committee's Final Report, and moved its adoption (*Sessional Paper No. 303*).

On motion by Mr. Reid (Rainy River),

Ordered, That the debate be adjourned.

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That, the following substitutions be made on committees:

Mr. Kennedy for Mr. Smith (Simcoe East) on the Members' Services Committee;

Mr. Kennedy for Mr. Handleman, Mr. Davison (Hamilton Centre) for Mr. Germa, and Mr. Ziemba for Mr. Isaacs on the Public Accounts Committee;

Mr. Johnson (Wellington-Dufferin-Peel) for Mr. Yakabuski, Mr. Grande for Ms. Gigantes, and Mr. Isaacs for Mrs. Bryden on the Resources Development Committee;

Mr. Kerr for Mr. Ashe, Mr. Ramsay for Mr. Hennessy, Mr. Rowe for Mr. Hodgson, Mr. Sterling for Mr. Smith (Simcoe East), Mr. Davidson (Cambridge) for Mr. Samis, Mr. Bounsall for Mr. Laughren, and Mr. McClellan for Mr. Duksza on the General Government Committee;

Mr. Taylor (Simcoe Centre) for Mr. Handleman on the Select Committee on Company Law; and

Mr. Kerrio for Mr. Nixon on the Select Committee on Ontario Hydro Affairs.

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That, Mr. Martel be substituted for Mr. Foulds on the Select Committee for Hydro Affairs from January 23rd, but upon the receipt of a written application by Mr. Foulds to the Clerk of the House, Mr. Foulds will be substituted for Mr. Martel.

The following Bill was introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 211, An Act to provide for an Ombudsman to investigate Administrative Decisions and Acts of Officials of Municipal Governments and Their Agencies. *Mr. Isaacs.*

A Return was tabled to Question No. 377 (*Sessional Paper No. 307*).

The Answers were tabled to Questions Nos. 396 and 401 (*See Hansard*).

With unanimous consent, it was,

On motion by Mr. Wells,

Ordered, That the House continue to sit through the luncheon interval today, from 1.00 to 2.00 p.m.

A debate arose on the motion for Second Reading of Bill 209, An Act to amend The Workmen's Compensation Act, and after some time, the motion carried, and the Bill was accordingly read the second time and *Ordered for Committee of the Whole House*.

The House resolved itself into a Committee to consider a certain Bill:—

After some time, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and the Chairman reported, That the Committee had directed him to report the following Bill with a certain amendment:—

Bill 209, An Act to amend The Workmen's Compensation Act.

Ordered, That the Report be now received and adopted.

The following Bill was read the third time and was passed:—

Bill 209, An Act to amend The Workmen's Compensation Act.

Supply was concurred in as follows:—

For the Ministry of Agriculture and Food.

For the Ministry of the Environment.

For the Ministry of Natural Resources.

For the Ministry of Energy.

For the Provincial Secretary for Social Development.

For the Provincial Secretary for Resources Development.

For the Ministry of Industry and Tourism.

For the Ministry of Labour.

The Order of the Day for resuming the Adjourned Debate on the amendment to the motion, That this House approves in general the Budgetary policy of the Government, having been read,

The Debate was resumed, and, after some time,

The amendment to the motion as follows:—

That all of the words after "That" be struck out and the following be substituted therefore:—

This House deplores the government's failure to recognize the seriousness of the unemployment problem in Ontario by providing any full-time jobs; rejects the increase in OHIP premiums and other regressive taxes while doing nothing to protect consumers against rising prices; condemns the lack of commitment to rebuilding any specific industry within our manufacturing sector, and the failure to attach any performance and employment guarantees to its employment development fund; opposes the continued giveaways of our mineral resources; and finally, condemns the shift of the costs of education and social services to municipalities, and for these reasons, the government no longer enjoys the confidence of this House.

having been put, was lost on the following division:—

AYES

Bounsall	Dukszta	Mackenzie
Breaugh	Foulds	Martel
Cassidy	Germa	McClellan
Charlton	Grande	Philip
Cooke	Isaacs	Renwick
Davidson	Johnston	Swart
(Cambridge)	(Scarborough West)	Warner
Davison	Laughren	Wildman
(Hamilton Centre)	Lawlor	Young
Di Santo	Lupusella	Ziemba—27.

NAYS

Ashe	Jones	Reed
Auld	Kennedy	(Halton-Burlington)
Baetz	Kerr	Reid
Belanger	Kerrio	(Rainy River)
Bennett	Lane	Riddell
Bernier	Maeck	Rotenberg
Birch	Mancini	Rowe
Breithaupt	McCaffrey	Ruston
Brunelle	McCague	Smith
Campbell	McGuigan	(Simcoe East)
Conway	McMurtry	Stephenson
Cunningham	McNeil	Sterling
Cureatz	Miller	Stong
Davis	(Haldimand-Norfolk)	Sweeney
Drea	Miller	Taylor
Eaton	(Muskoka)	(Simcoe Centre)
Elgie	Newman	Timbrell
Gaunt	(Durham-York)	Villeneuve
Gregory	Newman	Walker
Grossman	(Windsor-Walkerville)	Watson
Hall	Nixon	Welch
Havrot	Norton	Wells
Henderson	O'Neil	Williams
Hennessy	Parrott	Wiseman
Hodgson	Pope	Worton
Johnson	Ramsay	Yakabuski—70.
(Wellington-Dufferin-Peel)		

The main motion having been put, was declared carried on the same vote reversed.

The following Bill was then introduced and read the first time:—

Bill 212, An Act for granting to Her Majesty certain sums of money for the Public Service for the fiscal year ending the 31st day of March, 1980. *Mr. Miller* (Muskoka).

Ordered, That the Bill be read the second time forthwith.

The Bill was then read the second time.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time forthwith.

The Bill was then read the third time and passed.

The Honourable the Lieutenant Governor of the Province entered the Chamber of the Legislative Assembly and took her seat upon the Throne.

Mr. Speaker addressed Her Honour in the following words:—

“May it please Your Honour:

The Legislative Assembly of the Province has at its present Sittings thereof passed certain Bills to which, in the name and on behalf of the said Legislative Assembly, I respectfully request Your Honour’s Assent.”

The Clerk Assistant then read the titles of the Bills that had passed as follows:—

“The following are the titles of the Bills to which Your Honour’s Assent is prayed:

Bill 24, An Act to amend The Environmental Protection Act, 1971.

Bill 77, An Act to amend The Crown Timber Act.

Bill 149, An Act to amend The Land Titles Act.

Bill 150, An Act to amend The Registry Act.

Bill 154, An Act to amend The Regional Municipality of Hamilton-Wentworth Act, 1973.

Bill 159, An Act to amend The Family Law Reform Act, 1978.

Bill 161, An Act to amend The Public Commercial Vehicles Act.

Bill 162, An Act to amend The Child Welfare Act, 1978.

Bill 170, An Act to amend The Education Act, 1974.

Bill 171, An Act to amend The Ontario Municipal Improvement Corporation Act.

Bill 173, An Act to amend The Municipal Act.

Bill 174, An Act respecting the Composition of the Council of the Town of Midland.

Bill 175, An Act to amend The Highway Traffic Act.

Bill 176, An Act to amend The Architects Act.

Bill 177, An Act to amend The Compensation for Victims of Crime Act, 1971.

Bill 178, An Act to provide for the Enforcement of Interprovincial Subpoenas.

Bill 179, The Powers of Attorney Act, 1979.

Bill 180, An Act to amend The Unified Family Court Act, 1976.

Bill 181, An Act to provide for the Consolidation and Revision of the Statutes.

Bill 182, An Act to provide for the Consolidation and Revision of the Regulations.

Bill 194, An Act to amend The Ontario Unconditional Grants Act, 1975.

Bill 195, An Act to amend The Regional Municipality of Peel Act, 1973.

Bill 204, An Act to amend The Labour Relations Act.

Bill 209, An Act to amend The Workmen's Compensation Act.

Bill Pr5, An Act respecting the City of Toronto.

Bill Pr18, An Act respecting the City of Sarnia.

Bill Pr21, An Act respecting the City of Hamilton.

Bill Pr25, An Act respecting the City of London.

Bill Pr28, An Act respecting the City of North Bay.

Bill Pr30, An Act to revive South Russell Holdings Limited.

Bill Pr31, An Act to revive Sarnia Portable Equipment Rentals Limited.

Bill Pr33, An Act respecting the Town of Cobourg."

To these Acts the Royal Assent was announced by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly in the following words:—

"In Her Majesty's name, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor doth assent to these Bills."

Mr. Speaker then said:—

“MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

We, Her Majesty's most dutiful and faithful subjects, the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, in Session assembled, approach Your Honour with sentiments of unfeigned devotion and loyalty to Her Majesty's person and Government, and humbly beg to present for Your Majesty's acceptance a Bill intituled, “An Act for granting to Her Majesty certain sums of money for the Public Service for the fiscal year ending the 31st day of March, 1980.”

To this Act the Royal Assent was announced by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly in the following words:—

“The Honourable the Lieutenant Governor doth thank Her Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, accept their benevolence and assent to this Bill in Her Majesty's name”.

The Honourable the Lieutenant Governor was then pleased to deliver the following gracious speech:—

Mr. Speaker and Members of the Legislative Assembly:

The close of this Third Session of the Thirty-first Parliament of Ontario also marks the end of a decade. As a Province, Ontario has made great strides throughout the 1970s, despite certain economic difficulties which few countries have escaped in recent years. As a nation, the '70s have brought us to the edge of one of the most critical moments in our history, as Quebec determines its future within Canada.

Today, as at the start of the decade, Ontario continues its unflagging efforts to promote the cause of “Canada first”, in policies which the Government feels are important to the nation as a whole.

Significantly, the Government can cite from the early '70s the positive actions which stemmed from the work of the Select Committee on Economic and Cultural Nationalism, appointed by this Legislature. Again, in Ontario's stand on energy pricing, consistently held since the mid-decade, the interests of the nation have remained paramount. But among the most vigorous manifestations of this approach is the recent rejection of the “sovereignty-association” proposal of the Government of Quebec.

In looking ahead to the 1980s, my Government reaffirms its belief in the ultimate wisdom of its philosophy, which takes as given that the future will be better if shared by all Canadians working in harmony, one with another.

At the same time, looking back on this Session, the record shows a substantial number of achievements which reflect a deep sense of duty and commitment to the interests of the people of Ontario on the part of all Members of this House.

Unfortunately, in 1979, nature was not always kind to certain areas of Ontario. In the first part of the year, ice storms and flooding made emergency assistance and special funding arrangements necessary in ten areas of the province. Similar assistance was also provided as a result of the severe tornado damage in Oxford and Brant Counties in August.

Last month, what could have become an overwhelming disaster in the City of Mississauga was averted by the dedicated service of the men and women who work in our fire, police, hospital and related services, and by the highly laudable sense of order exhibited by the quarter of a million citizens directly affected.

The plight of the "Boat People" and of refugees in Southeast Asia has been of enormous concern to the Government and people of Ontario, who have assisted, both in relocation and settlement of several thousand individuals and families in the province, as well as in providing emergency relief, through the Canadian Red Cross, for thousands more in refugee camps in the Far East.

The observance of 1979 as the International Year of the Child was marked in numerous ways throughout the province. Within the government, the Children's Services legislation package, which received Royal Assent last year, was proclaimed in June. The legislation covers amendments to almost all areas of social service to children, and includes provisions governing child abuse, adoption procedures and day-care services—all of which have the singular aim of serving the best interests of children.

Special attention has been paid to the health of young children through a highly successful immunization campaign against communicable diseases. Of equal, if not greater, significance, is the fact that, by expanding the provincial screening program for newborns to include detection of hypothyroidism, about thirty babies who would almost certainly have been mentally retarded now have a good chance for healthy, normal lives.

Already, preparations are under way to observe 1981 as the International Year of the Handicapped, with governments and organizations developing initiatives that respond to the needs and desires of handicapped citizens.

One recent major initiative of this Government was the creation of a province-wide program of subsidies to municipalities to provide transportation facilities for the physically handicapped. The program, which began on July 1st, follows on experimental services run in five cities over the previous two to three years. The pilot projects, themselves, are now permanent programs.

The new Residential Tenancies Act has been proclaimed, with the exception of certain sections which are the basis of a constitutional reference to the Court of Appeal. Under the Act, the residential premises rent review program is continued throughout the province in a form that will simplify and improve the process for landlords and tenants.

Major legal reforms have been the hallmark of the Ontario justice system over the past several years, and 1979 has been no exception. A new Provincial Offences Act sets out a code of procedures for the prosecution of provincial offences, as distinct from offences under the Criminal Code of Canada. Where past rigidities may often have appeared to be less than just, the built-in flexibility of this new legislation is likely to attract greater respect from the public at large, by relating penalties for minor offences more closely to the nature of the offence.

At the same time, greater responsibility is being asked of Ontario's drivers, who are now obliged by law to carry a minimum of \$100,000 in third party liability insurance on all motor vehicles. This is the main purpose of The Compulsory Automobile Insurance Act, which took effect on December 1st, and which also

provides for the formation of an insurance industry pool to ensure that high-risk drivers have access to coverage.

The Evidence Act has been amended to permit the use of the official translation of statutes in French-language court proceedings. This measure follows on the Government's undertaking to prepare official translations of 150 selected statutes over the next four years, for which task a special legal translation unit has been set up in the Ministry of the Attorney General.

Ontario's economy has, by any reasonable standard, fared well in the 1970s and Ontarians have been spared the undue hardship that might have occurred without the timely adoption of a program of restraint in government spending that began in the middle of the decade. Nevertheless, it is the Government's continuing endeavour to temper the obvious limitations required by fiscal restraint with an ever-present awareness of the needs of our citizens and of the community as a whole.

Municipal governments can look forward in 1980 to an average increase in provincial grants of over ten per cent.

In addition, unorganized communities may now make use of a special mechanism to facilitate the provision of such basic services as fire protection, water supply and street lighting. Through The Local Services Boards Act, residents and property owners in these communities may create corporate boards with powers to provide these services. This legislation will be particularly useful in communities in Northern Ontario.

Ontario's budgetary policies paid high dividends last year in terms of the creation of over 130,000 jobs in the province, all of them in the private sector. Projections run to about 140,000 new jobs for the current year.

Efforts to create jobs for young people also produced better results this year, with the Ontario Youth Employment Program providing over 40,000 jobs in the private sector over a six-month period. Government wage-subsidy costs for this program will run to about \$26 million.

A seven-member advisory council on equal employment opportunities for women was formed in March. The Ministry of Labour is relying on the joint cooperation of high-level labour/management representation on this body to provide invaluable assistance in securing better prospects for women in the workplace.

More than twenty Small Business Development Corporations have been registered since the announcement of this new incentive program in the Ontario Budget last April. The program is helping to stimulate private sector investment where it is most needed — in manufacturing and processing, tourism and mineral exploration — by encouraging equity investment in Ontario-based small businesses.

In other Budget measures aimed at stimulating investment, succession duties and gift taxes have been abolished in Ontario.

The Government has taken up the challenge to ensure that the opportunities facing our manufacturing sector and the accompanying demand for skilled labour are met. The Province has promoted the formation of Community Industrial Training Committees under the Employer-Sponsored Training Program.

The Employment Development Fund, established in the spring, is securing the development and expansion of manufacturing enterprises that will create long-term employment. The Fund is also being used as the source of needed incentives to the pulp and paper industry, whose modernization, it is widely agreed, is imperative, both in productive and in environmental terms.

At the same time, Ontario must capitalize on the tariff advantages gained at the Tokyo round of GATT negotiations which were concluded this summer, and make necessary adjustments where the rules are less in our favour. In its consultations with Ottawa, the Province has persistently underlined the key role required of the Federal Government in this area, if markets are to be maintained and, indeed, enhanced, both at home and abroad.

In the constant, watchful concern of government and the public about the quality of our environment, the problem of acid rain has become a major area of focus. Intensified research programs are being carried out, involving the monitoring and analysis of effects on fish and other aquatic life. Some of this research funding is being made available from proceeds of The Provincial Lottery.

The studies also underline the basic goals and objectives for water quality and management in Ontario, which were published earlier in the year. The Government's policies, as set out in this document, have been updated according to newest scientific developments and criteria established in the international Great Lakes Water Quality Agreement.

The negative effects of increasing energy costs on the economy and the question of security of supplies are a source of concern to the Government. While Ontario has had a good record in energy management and conservation over the past several years, there must be a resolve—by our institutions, industries and by individual citizens—to do much more. This resolve is our strongest weapon against any possibility of inconvenience or hardship.

Honourable Members, the scope of these issues, and your efforts in addressing them, speak well of the loyalty you bear to this Province and to the wider interests of our nation. Ontarians can look back on the 1970s with a feeling that our people have made much progress. But, more important, we look to the new decade with optimism, because we know we have the required abilities, resources and resilience to serve our highest aspirations.

On behalf of the people of Ontario, I thank you especially for your endeavours and accomplishments during this Session. May I wish you the joys of the season and a safe and happy holiday among your families and friends.

I now declare the Session prorogued.

In our Sovereign's name, I thank you.

The Government House Leader then said:—

Mr. Speaker and Members of the Legislative Assembly:

It is the will and pleasure of the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor that this Legislative Assembly be prorogued and this Legislative Assembly is accordingly prorogued.

7.30 p.m.

Sessional Papers:—

The Planning Act—A draft for Public Comment (*No. 304*).

Ontario Law Reform Commission—Report on Products Liability (*No. 305*).

The Tenth Report of the Ontario Criminal Injuries Compensation Board (*No. 306*).

Letter tabled by the Minister of Consumer and Commercial Relations from the Board of Directors of Condominium Ontario in response to certain statements made before the Standing Administration of Justice Committee on Thursday, October 18th and Friday, October 19th, 1979 (*No. 309*).

